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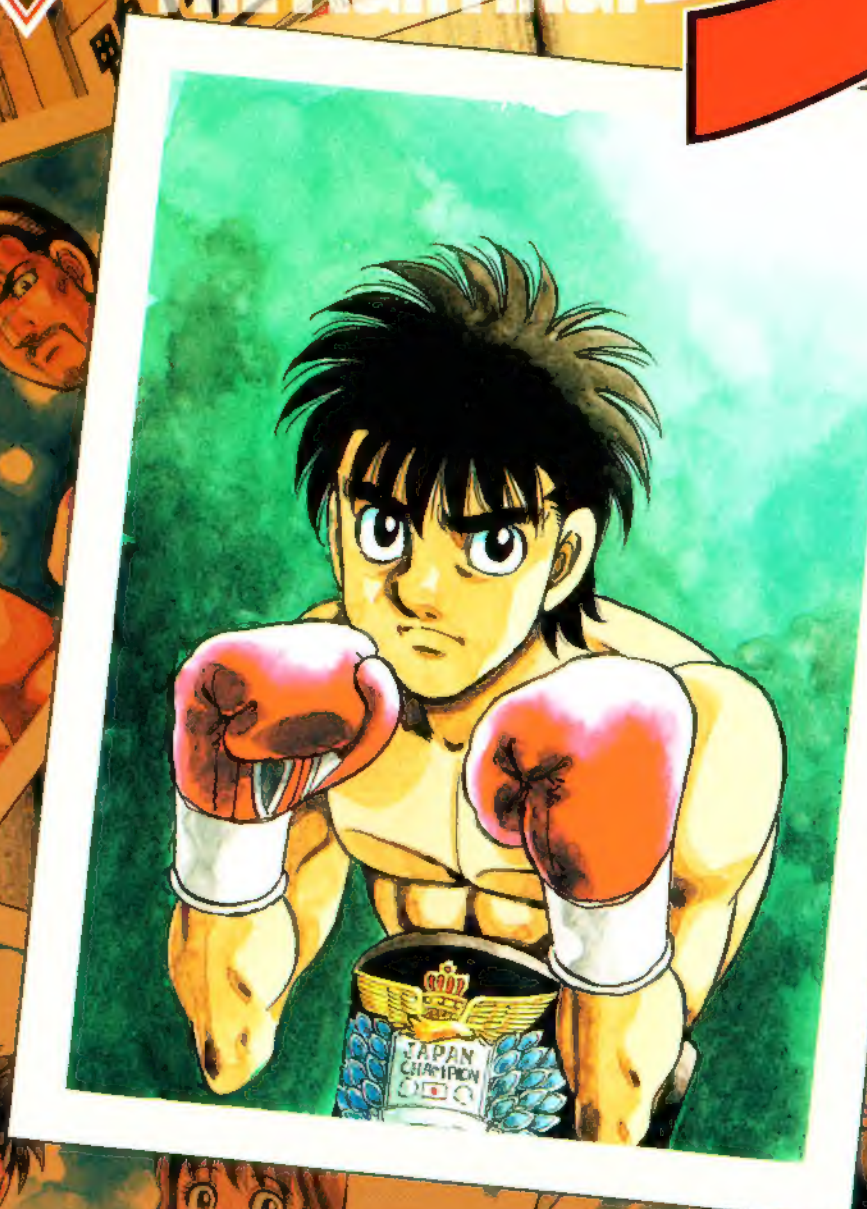
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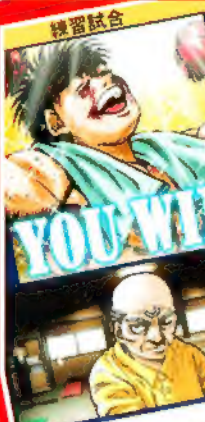


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帯の折り返しに  
入っているコードで  
今すぐアクセス!

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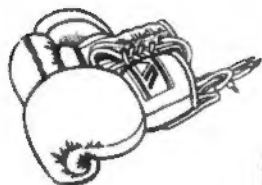
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GOOD REACH ON IT!

HIS LEFT HAS



NO!

SHOULD I TRY AND FIGHT AT CLOSE RANGE THEN?



WE'RE BOTH OUTBOXERS, BUT I'VE GOT THE ADVANTAGE IN REACH!











WHOA,  
ITAGAKI  
CONTINUES  
TO DODGE  
PUNCHES BY  
A HAIR!

MANY  
PUNCHES  
COME CLOSE,  
BUT NONE  
OF THEM  
ACTUALLY  
CONNECT!




JUST  
HOW  
FAST  
IS THIS  
GUY?

TCH

I CAN'T  
BELIEVE  
I STILL  
CAN'T HIT  
HIM EVEN  
THOUGH  
HE'S SO  
CLOSE!



HE  
KICKED  
IT UP  
ANOTHER  
NOTCH!



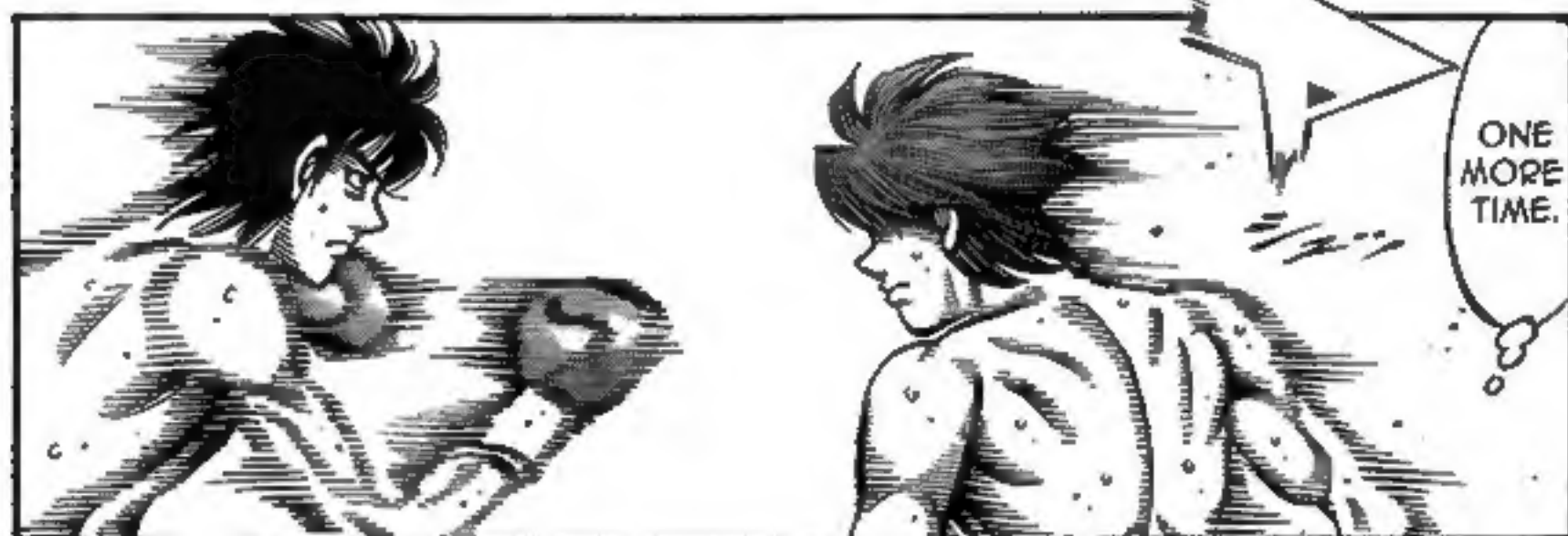
OH  
...

WOW  
...



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EVEN IF HE COULDN'T WIN RIGHT AWAY, HE WOULD'VE TAKEN A SIGNIFICANT LEAD IF HE LANDED SOME COMBOS.

I'M SURE THE MENTAL SHOCK IN PARTICULAR WAS FAIRLY BAD...

KARA-SAWA WAS REELING FROM THAT PUNCH.



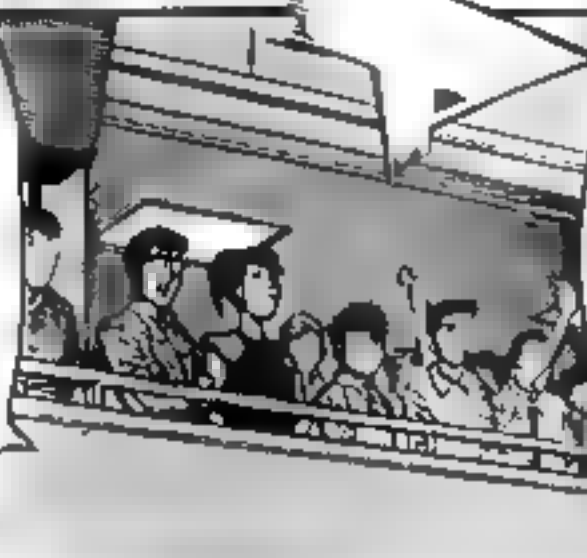
ITAGAKI-KUN MISSED OUT ON A REALLY BIG CHANCE.



SO THAT PUNCH REALLY GOT TO HIM?

BUT LATELY, HE'S DONE A PRETTY DECENT JOB OF KEEPING THE WAY THAT HE REACTS TO THINGS IN CHECK...

THAT BEING THE CASE, IT ALWAYS USED TO BE SUPER OBVIOUS TO EVERYONE WHENEVER HE WAS IN REAL TROUBLE.



HE'S GOT THE KIND OF PERSONALITY WHERE IT'S VERY EASY TO TELL WHAT HE'S THINKING.

YOUR MATCH AGAINST KARASAWA HELPED HIM GROW A LOT.




HUH?

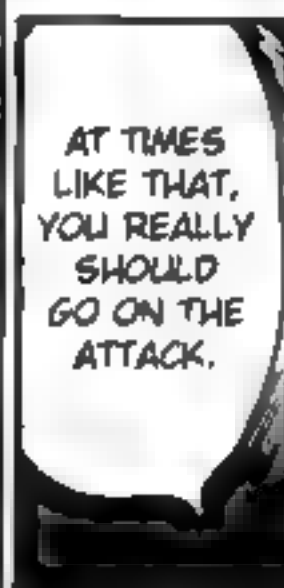
GOOD AT BLUFF-ING



I PREFER TO THINK OF IT AS BLUFF-ING...



SO HE'S GOTTEN REALLY GOOD AT FAKING THEN?



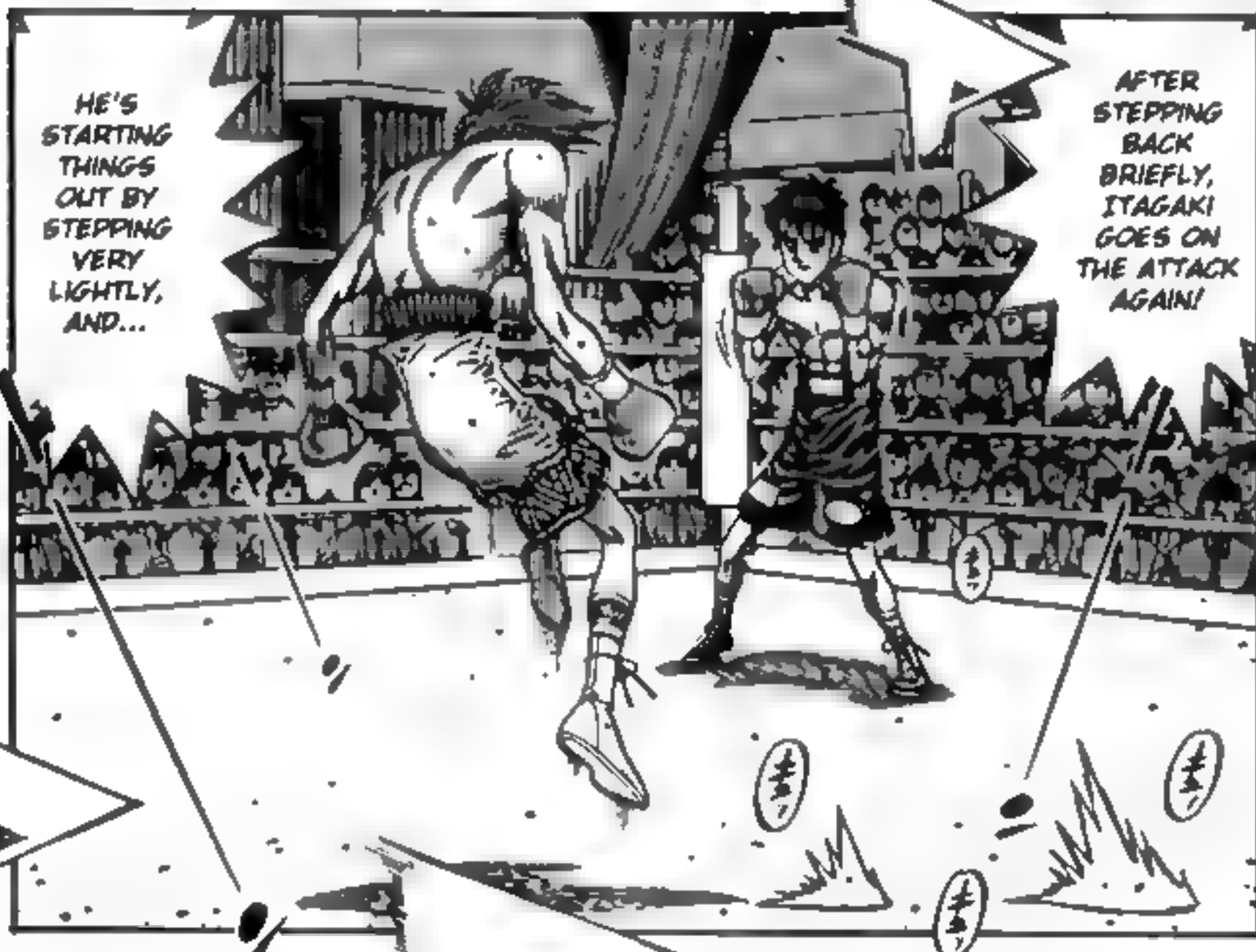
AT TIMES LIKE THAT, YOU REALLY SHOULD GO ON THE ATTACK.

AND ...

EVEN SO, KARA-SAWA LOOKED WORRIED FOR A MOMENT THERE.

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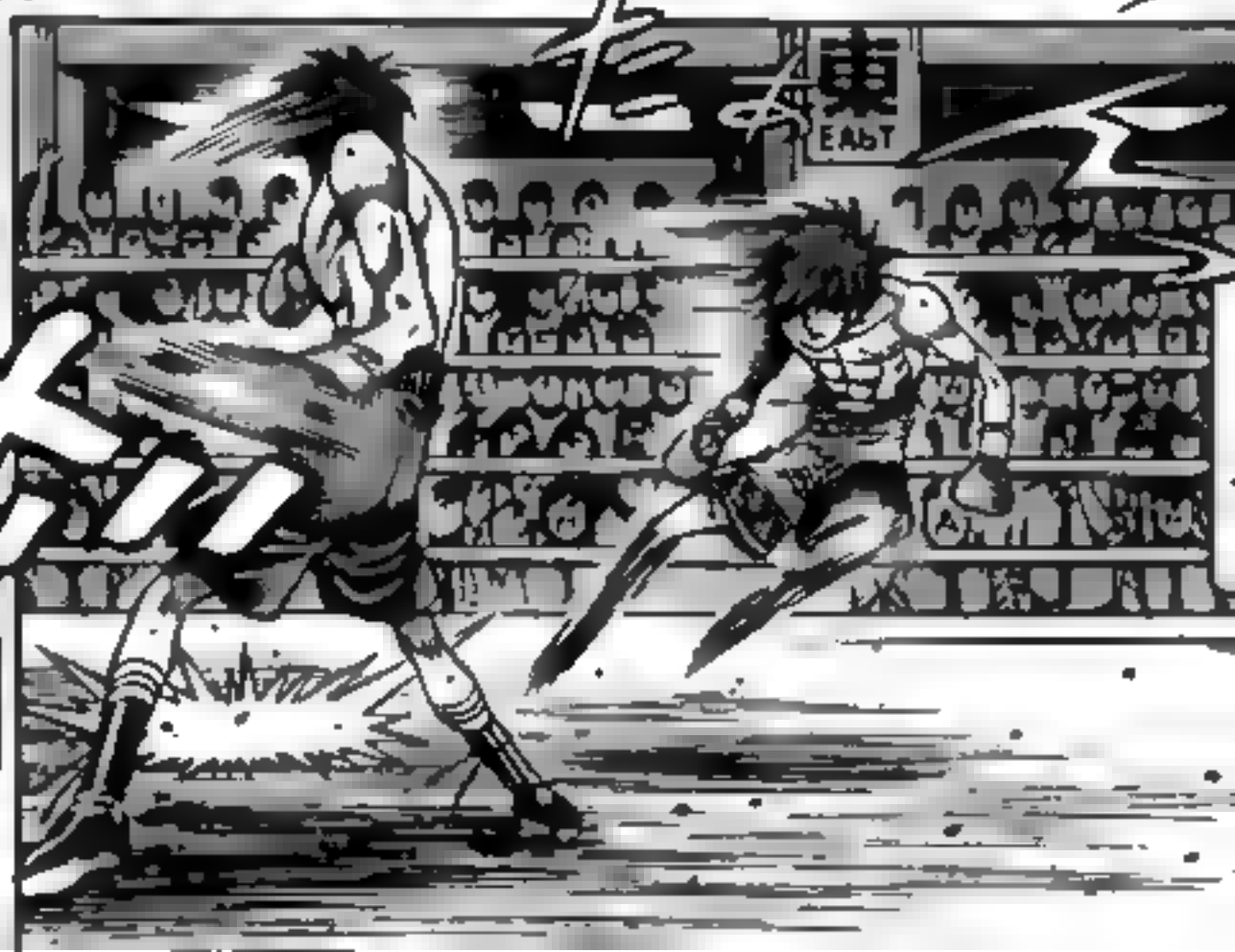






REVS  
UP ONCE  
AGAIN!

THE  
HIGH SPEED  
BATTLE







THAT  
WILL  
ALLOW  
HIM TO  
RELAX.



ITAGAKI  
APPEARS  
TO BE  
SLIGHTLY  
FASTER IN  
EVERY  
RESPECT.



WHILE  
ITAGAKI IS  
DODGING  
ENTIRELY,  
AND THAT  
MAKES A  
REALLY BIG  
DIFFER-  
ENCE.

KARA-  
SAWA IS  
BLOCK-  
ING

BUT NEITHER  
ONE IS  
LANDING  
MANY  
HITS...



HE CAN  
PICK AND  
CHOOSE HIS  
PUNCHES  
CALMLY.

RIGHT  
NOW,





ITAGAKI'S  
SPEED IS  
GRADUALLY  
GIVING HIM  
CONTROL  
OF THIS  
MATCH!

A LEFT  
FLIES  
FORWARD  
AND  
LANDS!

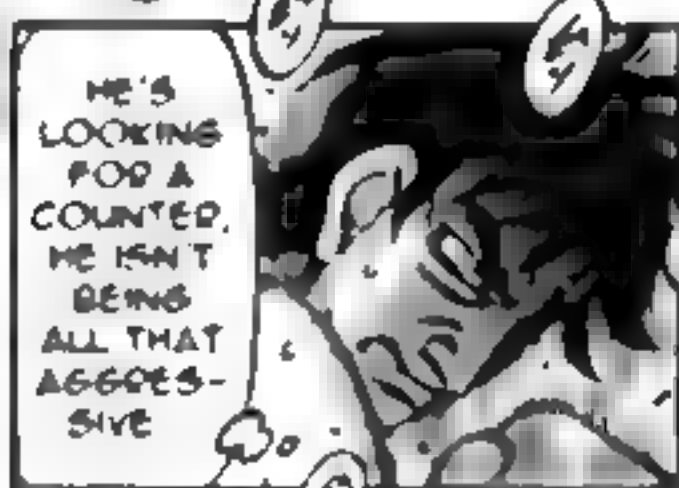


IT  
WON'T  
BE THAT  
EASY!



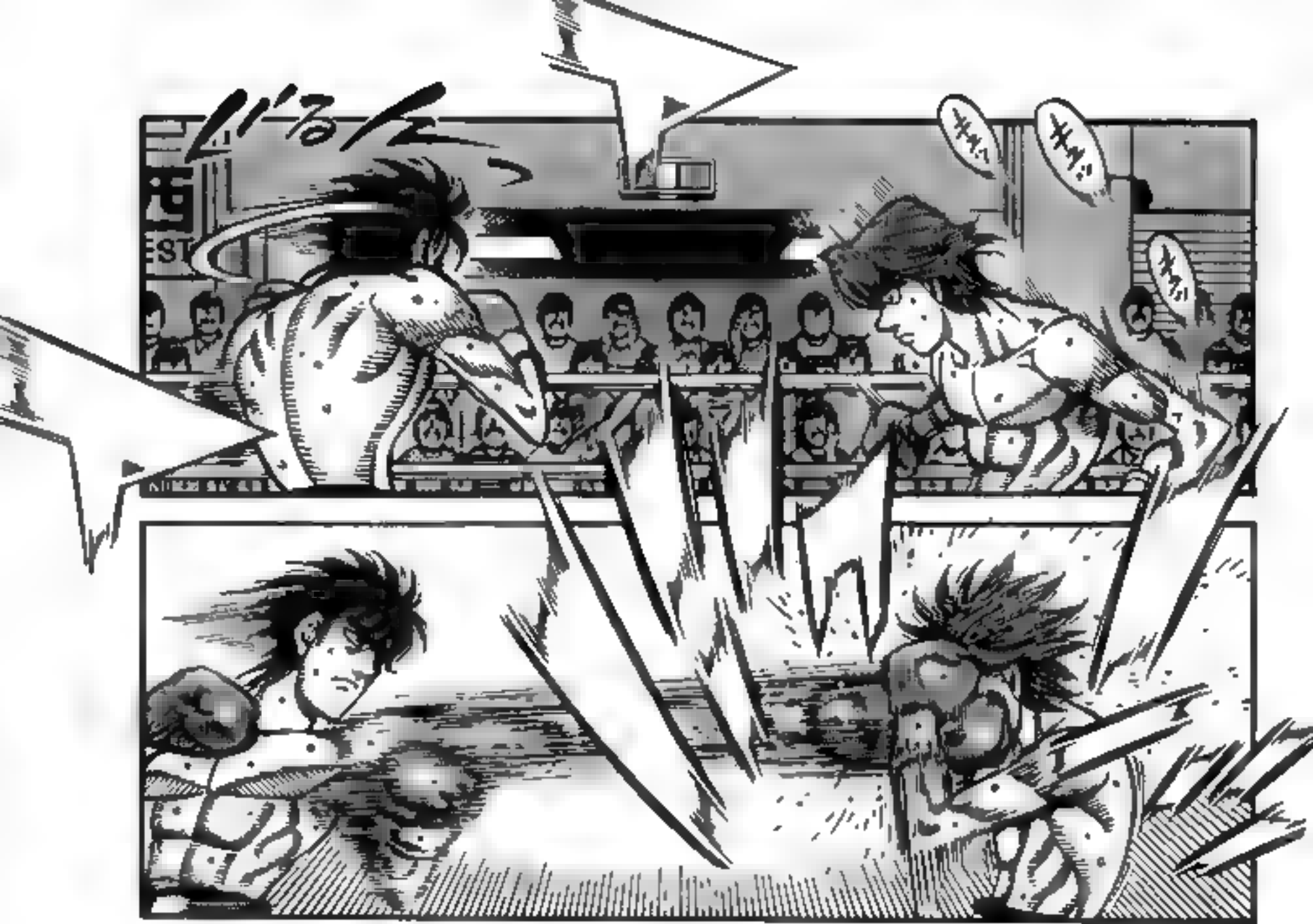
MAYBE  
SHOULD  
TRY AND  
GOAD HIM  
INTO IT

IT'D BE  
NICE IF  
HE THREW  
OUT THAT  
RIGHT  
AGAIN.



HE'S  
LOOKING  
FOR A  
COUNTER,  
HE ISN'T  
BEING  
ALL THAT  
AGGRES-  
SIVE









IT'S A  
BRILLIANT  
CROSS  
COUNTER!







OKEY-DOKEY!

THE DIFFERENCE IN THEIR EXPERIENCE DOESN'T AMOUNT TO ANYTHING!

GIVE US SOME MORE OF THOSE FANCY ASS MOVES!

GOOD WORK, ITAGAKI! SHOW US SOMETHING AWESOME!



IT WOULD BE A REAL SHAME IF I WERE TO LET DOWN MY ADORING PUBLIC...



CLEARLY, HE'S THE KIND OF GUY WHO REALLY GOES NUTS ONCE HE'S GOT THE CROWD ON HIS SIDE.



HUH?

THESE CHEERS ARE BAD NEWS.



HE SPED UP AGAIN!

MAYBE WE'LL FINALLY SEE HIM IN TOP GEAR.



LWA



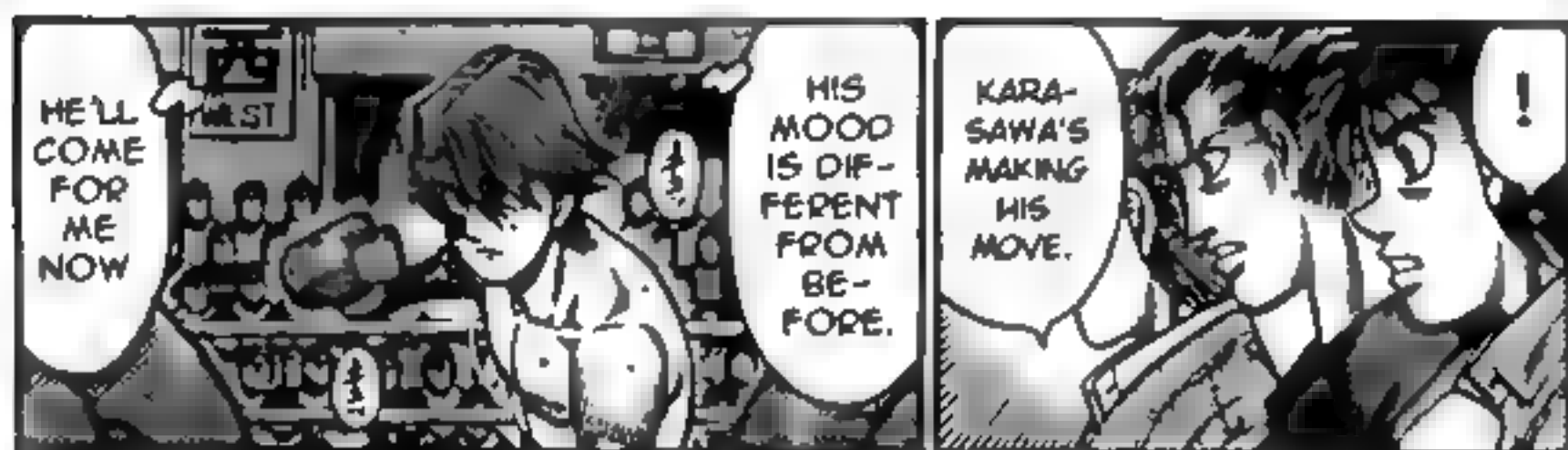
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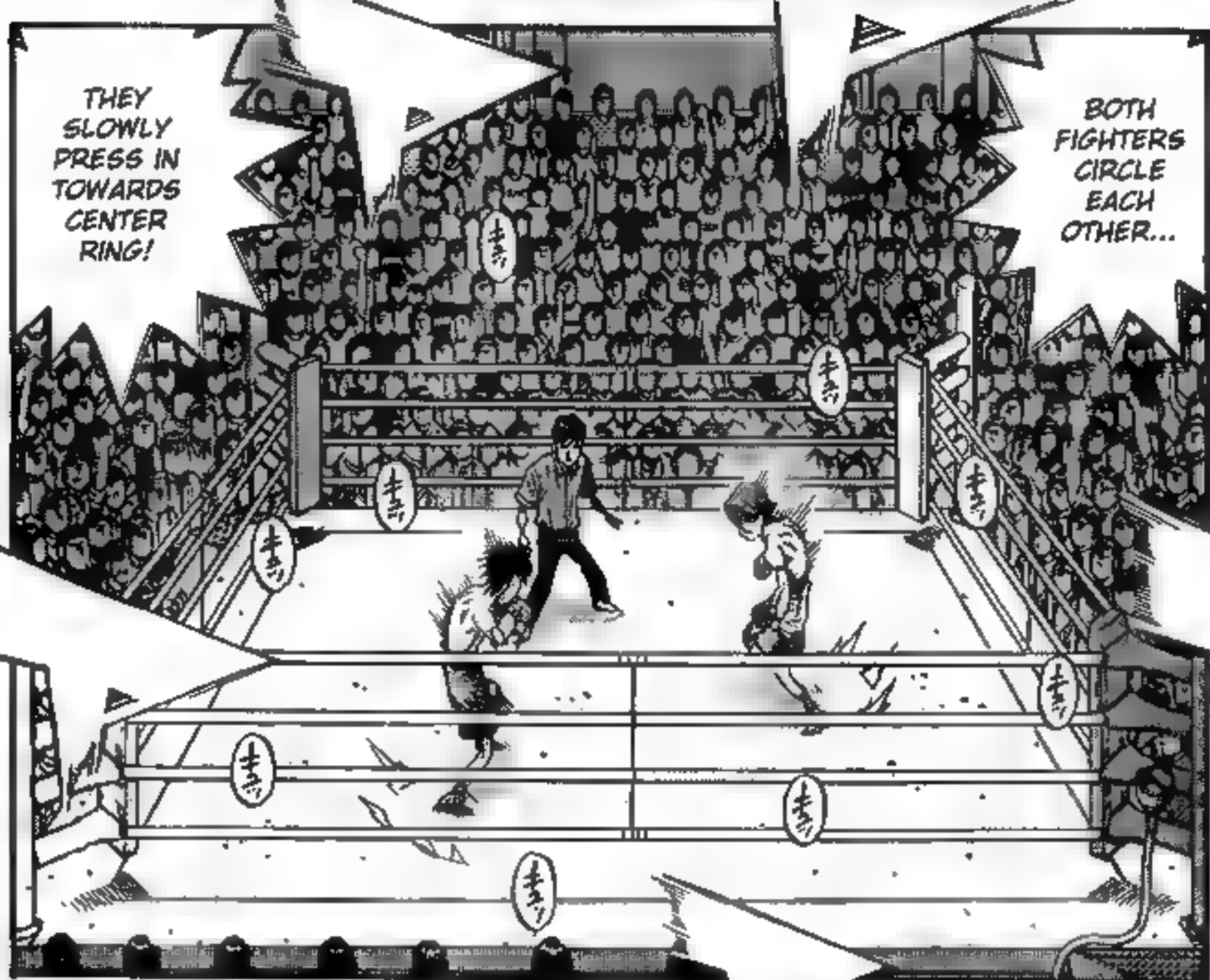
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AND AN  
EXCHANGE  
OF BLAZING  
FAST FISTS  
IS ON THE  
WAY...

THEY BOTH  
STRIKE OUT  
DESPITE THE  
DISTANCE  
BETWEEN  
THEM!

TWO  
OUTBOXERS  
WHO SHARE  
THE SAME  
KIND OF  
SPECIALTY!

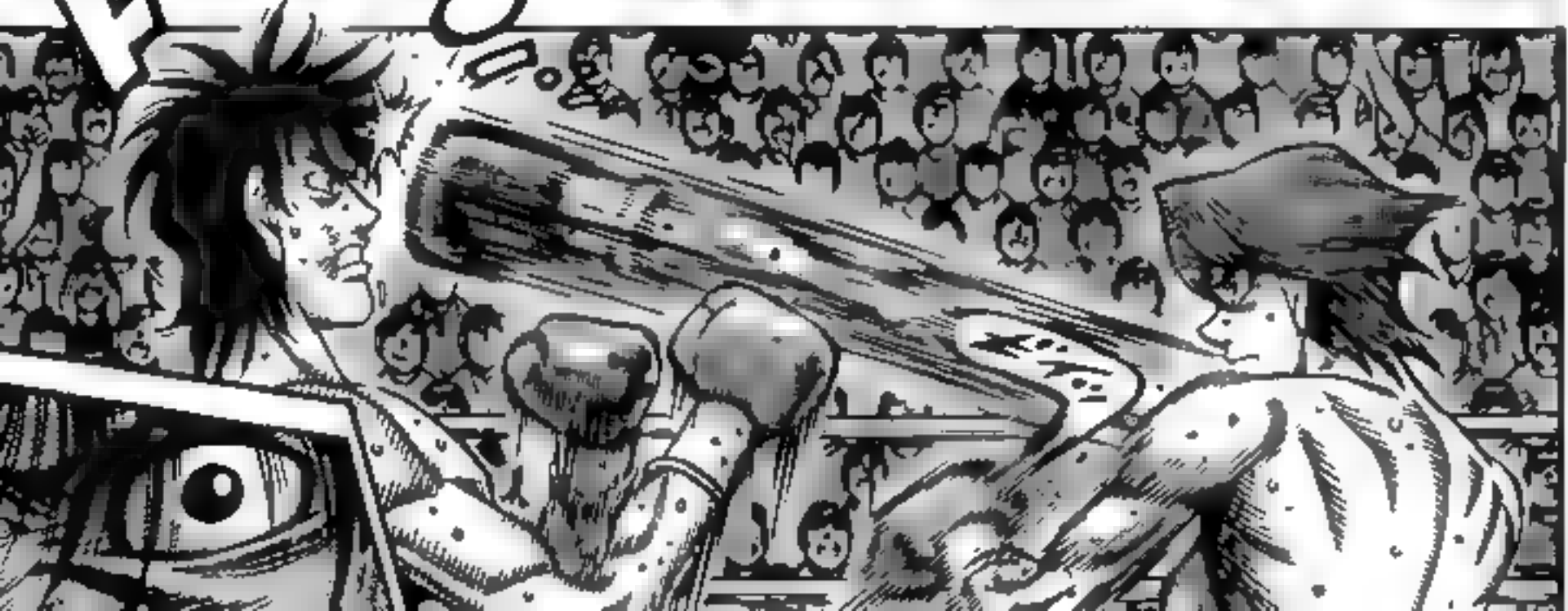
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EMERGE  
VICTORIOUS  
IN THIS  
CHALLENGE  
OF SPEED-  
STERS?



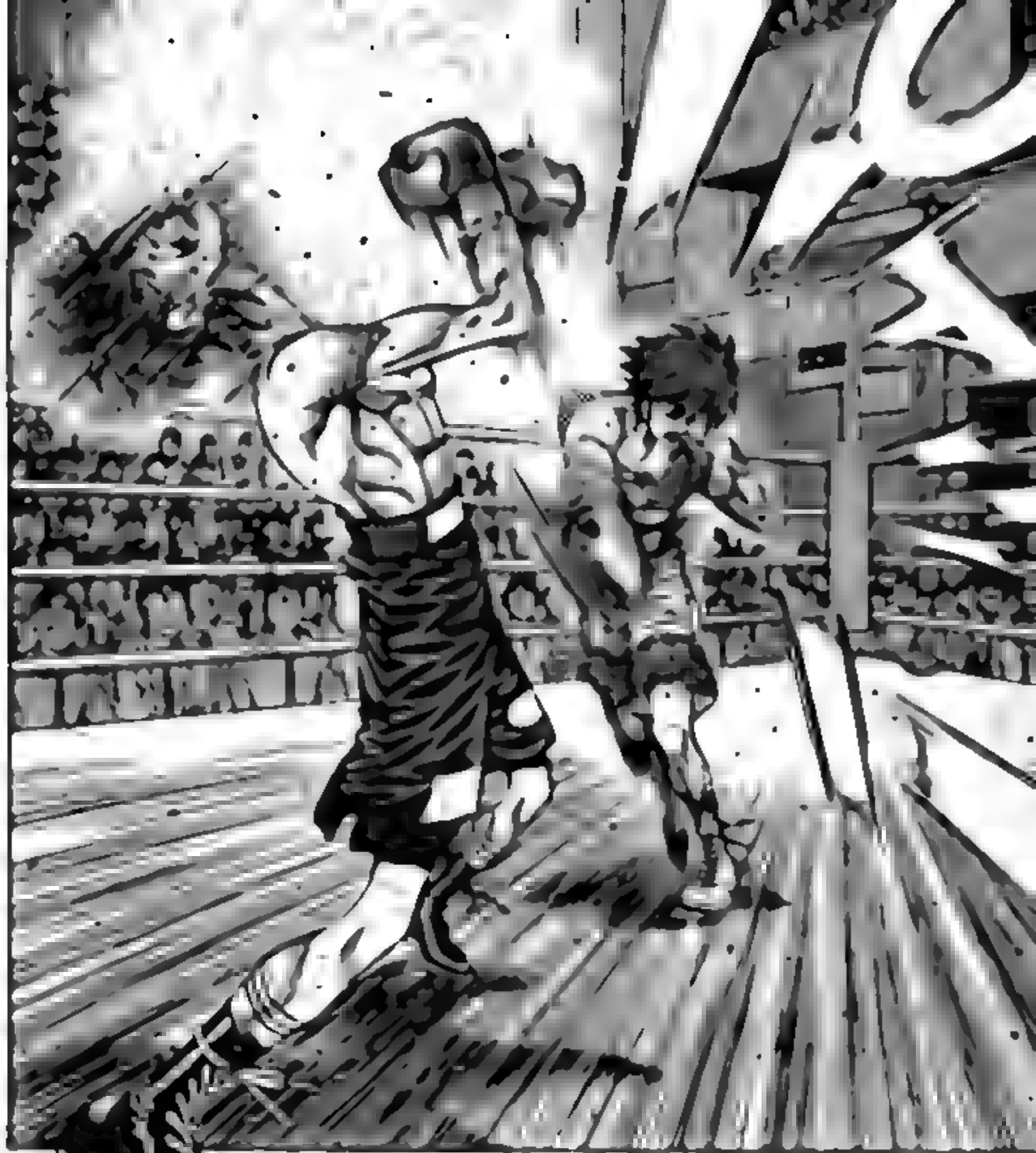


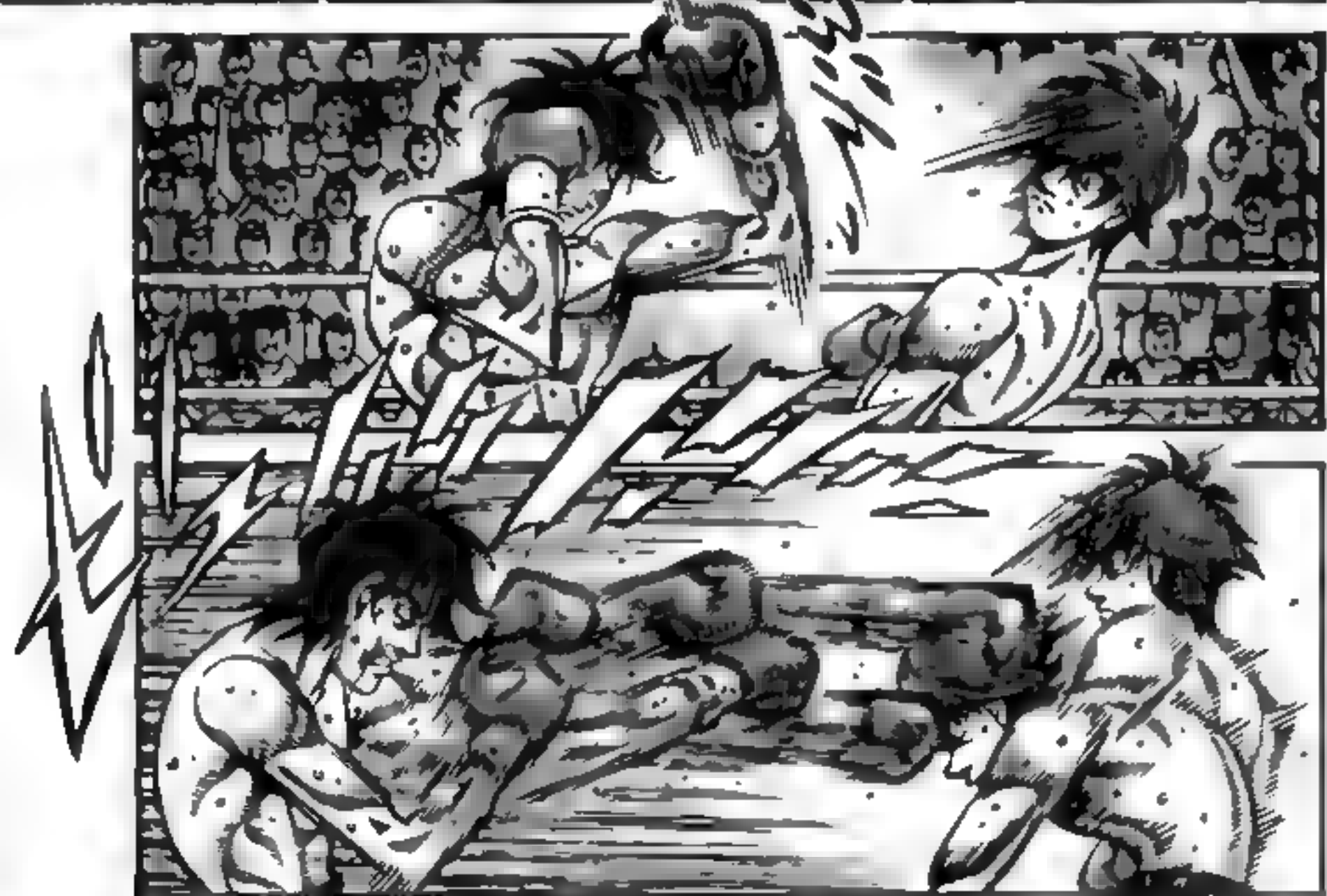
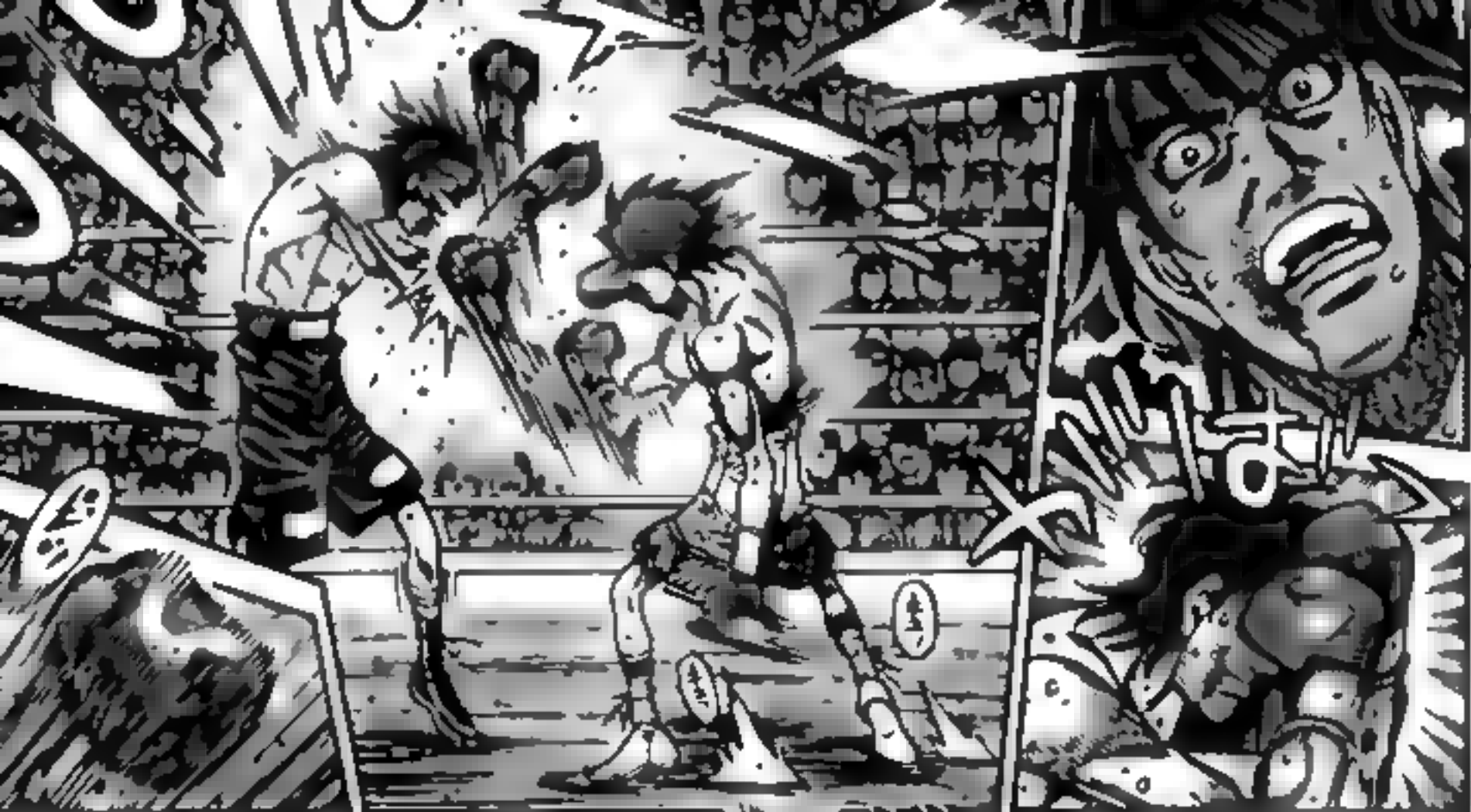














HIS  
DEFENSES  
ARE UP AS  
HE RUNS TO  
GET SOME  
BREATHING  
ROOM!

KARA-  
SAWA IS  
KNOCKED  
BACK!



A KNOCK  
OUT IN  
THE EARLY  
ROUNDS!

WHY WAS  
HE LOOKING  
SO CRAPPY  
BEFORE  
THE MATCH  
THEN?

FORGET  
KEEPING UP,  
HE WENT IN  
THERE AND  
WON IN A  
SLUGFEST.

WHOA,  
THAT WAS  
PRETTY  
AWESOME,  
MAN...

THE DIFFERENCE  
IN EXPERIENCE  
DIDN'T AMOUNT  
TO MUCH WHEN  
THEY FACED  
EACH OTHER  
HEAD ON!

IT SEEMS  
ITAGAKI'S  
COME OUT  
ON TOP IN  
THIS SPEED  
CONTEST!

IT MIGHT  
ACTUALLY  
HAPPEN  
THEN...

BECAUSE  
HE'S FOUND  
HIS RHYTHM.

HE'S USING  
THE SAME  
MOVES,  
BUT THE  
OUTCOME IS  
DIFFERENT.

AND THIS  
GUY'S  
REALLY A  
ROOKIE!?



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GH  
...

東  
EAST

I'VE  
GOT  
YOU  
...!!

HERE HE  
COMES,  
BUT I'VE  
GOT HIM  
FIGURED  
OUT!!

FOR  
EXAMPLE,  
THIS  
LEFT.

SERIOUSLY,  
THIS GUY IS  
WAY TOO  
MUCH OF A  
STRAIGHT-UP  
ORTHODOX  
BOXER

IT FLIES FROM HIS  
SHOULDER IN A  
STRAIGHT LINE AND  
GOES BACK THE  
SAME EXACT WAY IT  
CAME IMMEDIATELY  
AFTERWARDS

A TEXTBOOK JAB HE  
WORKED HARD AT MAKING  
FASTER RATHER THAN  
MAKING IT MORE POWERFUL,  
SO THAT HE COULD WITH-  
DRAW IT MORE QUICKLY

AND  
THAT'S  
WHY...



YOU'RE  
EASY TO  
PREDICT!



AND  
AT THE  
RATE  
I'M  
GOING,

SINCE YOU'RE  
ACTING OUT OF  
DESPERATION  
RIGHT NOW,  
YOUR STEP-IN  
IS MESSED UP,  
WHICH AFFECTS  
BOTH YOUR  
RANGE AND  
SHARPNESS



GH



EVEN  
WITHOUT  
WEARING  
ANY  
GLOVES  
AT ALL!

I COULD  
PROBABLY  
PARRY  
ALL OF  
THESE  
PUNCHES



I CAN  
DO  
THIS...

WHOA...  
HE WAS  
ABLE TO  
MATCH THAT  
PUNCH SO  
EASILY!



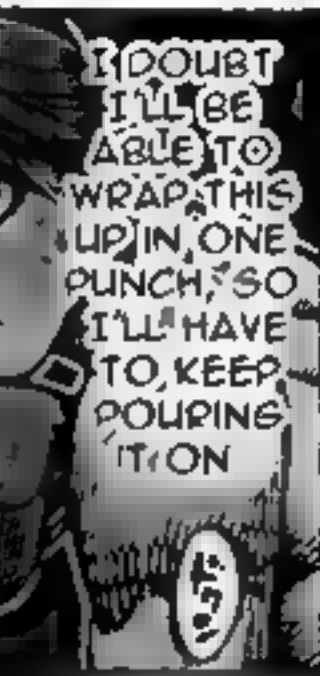
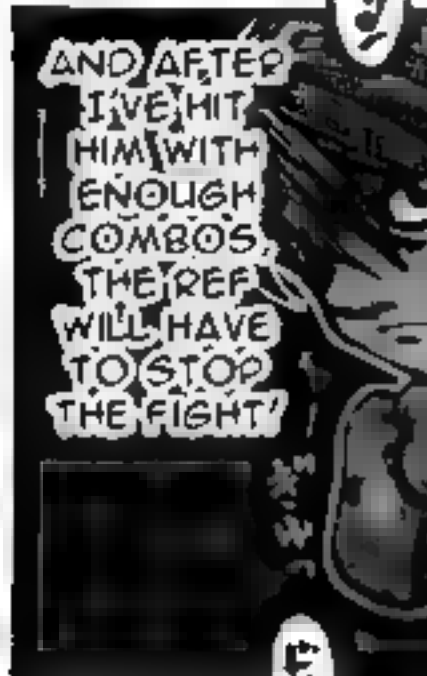
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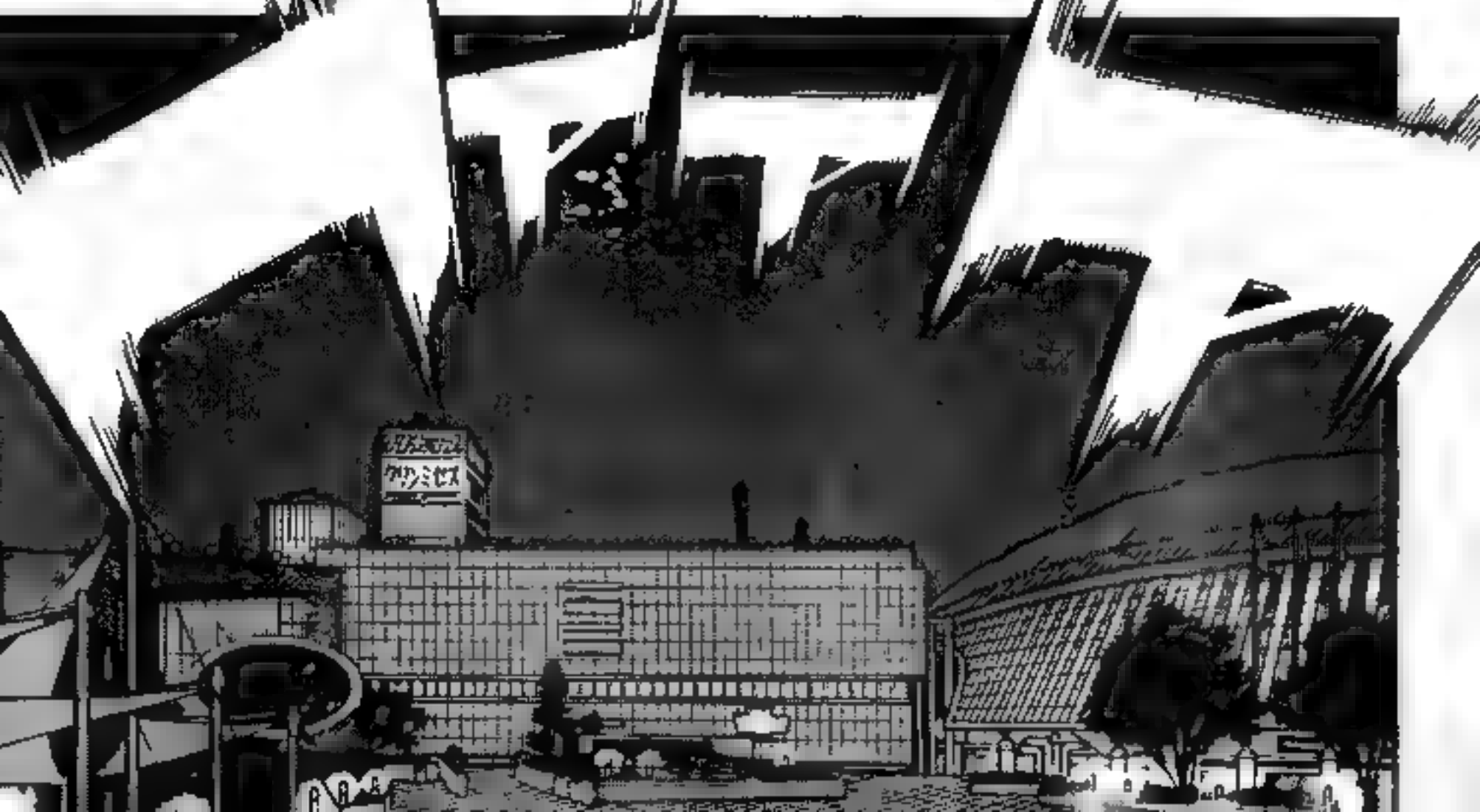
**A FULL BODY  
RIGHT CROSS!**







THREE!!

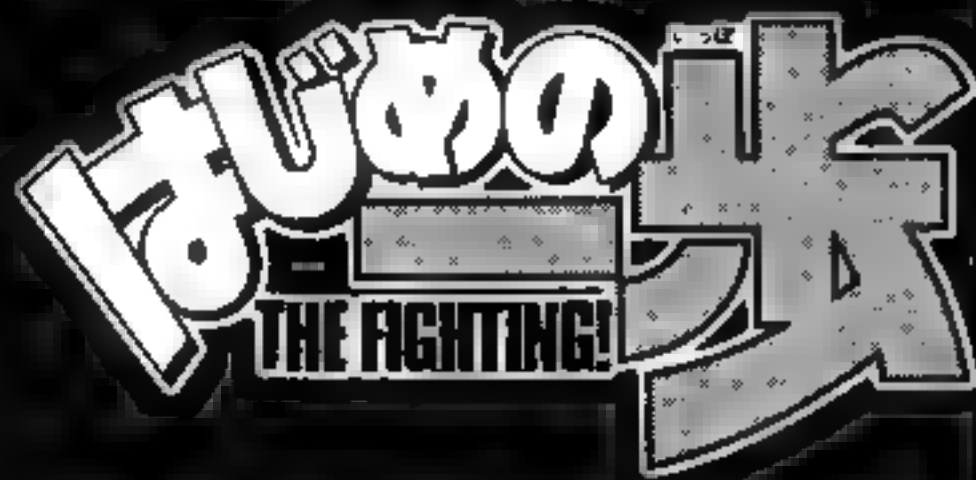
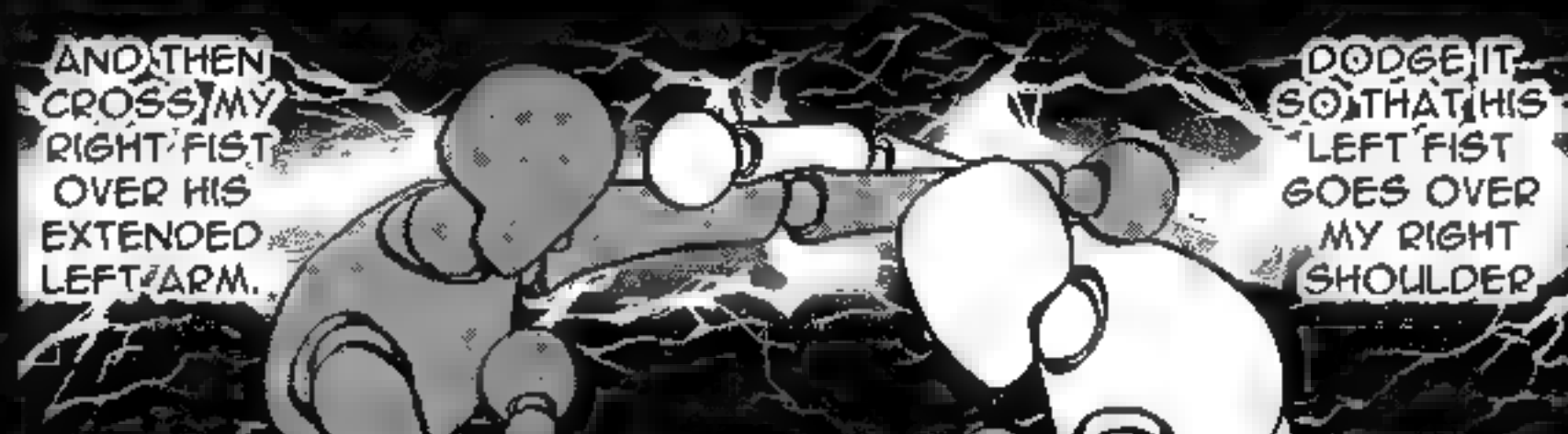




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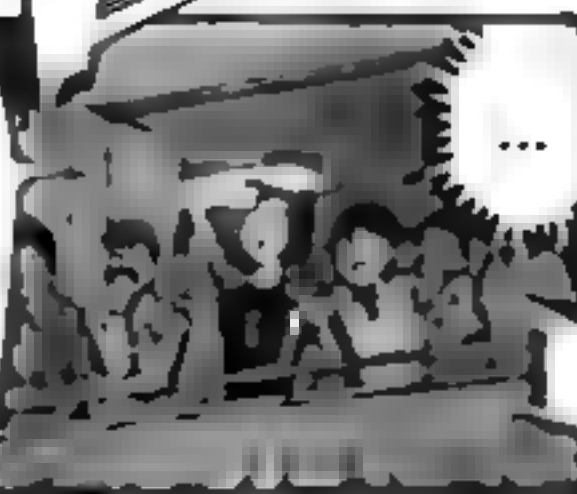
THE  
COUNTER  
FAILS!

WHOA...  
DOWN HE  
GOES!!

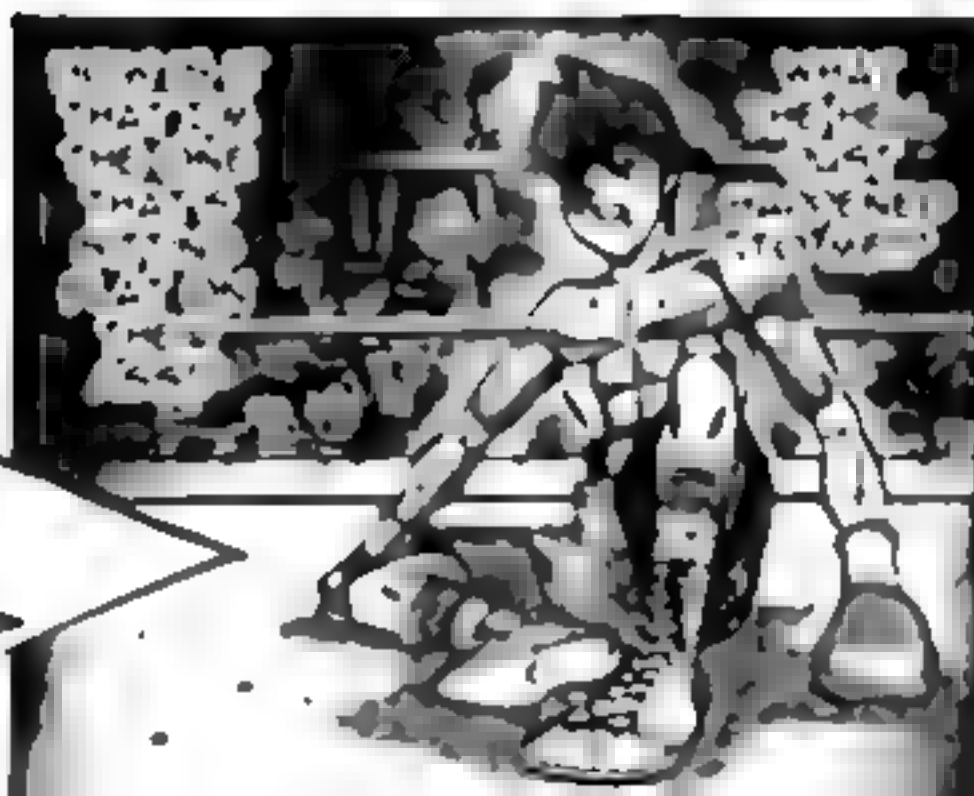
ITAGAKI  
TOPPLES  
OVER!



OUCH  
LUXS  
LIKE HE  
WENT  
DOWN.



WHAT  
THE HELL  
WAS  
THAT?



IT'S  
LIKE HE  
THREW  
HIMSELF  
INTO THE  
PUNCH!





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DAMN  
THAT WAS  
REALLY  
CLOSE!

HA! THE REP'S  
GONNA STOP  
THE FIGHT IF  
YOU KEEP  
BLUNDLING  
AROUND!

THE  
MATCH  
CARRIES  
ON!!

YOU'RE  
BEING  
WAY TOO  
DESPERATE,  
JUST TAKE  
YOUR TIME  
ON THIS!

DON'T GO  
FOR ANY  
MORE OF  
THOSE DISKY  
COUNTERS!

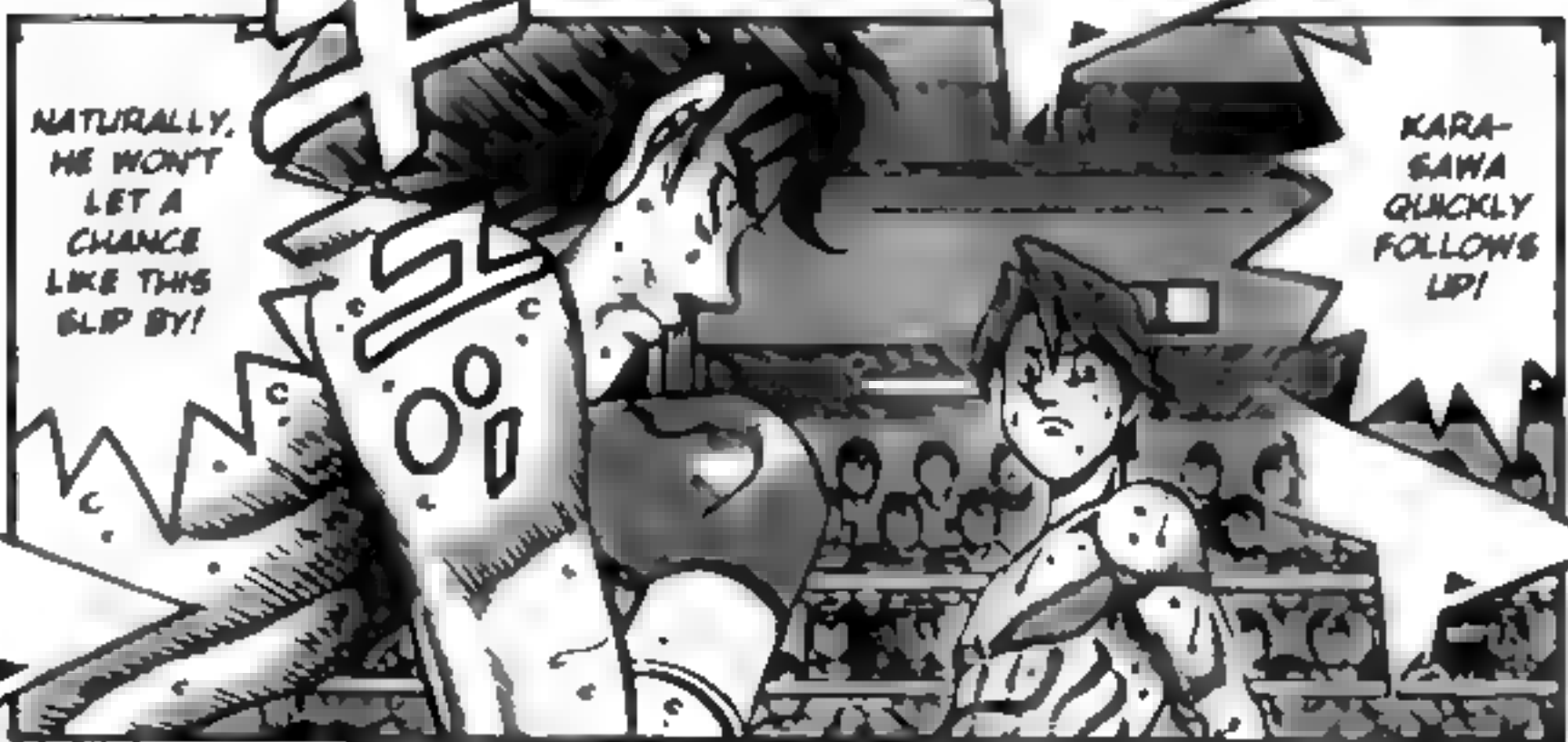
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NO  
TIME  
TO  
SPACE!

HA

EASY FOR  
THEM TO  
SAY BUT  
I HAVE TO  
GO FOR A  
COUNTER





NATURALLY,  
HE WON'T  
LET A  
CHANCE  
LIKE THIS  
SLIP BY!

KARA-  
SAWA  
QUICKLY  
FOLLOWS  
UP!



CAN  
THEY  
STILL  
MOVE  
AT  
ALL?

AND  
MY  
LESS  
IS

WE CAN  
SEE 'EM!  
WE STILL  
CAN!

CAN I  
READ  
HIS  
PUN-  
CHES  
IS

JUST  
A LIL  
BIT!

DAMMIT,  
HOW  
BADLY  
AM I  
HURT?

I FIG-  
URED  
AS  
MUCH.



ONCE  
I'VE  
RECOV-  
ERED,

I'LL  
GIVE IT  
ANOTHER  
SHOT  
AND TRY  
AGAIN!



I NEED  
TO PULL  
THIS OFF  
USING ONLY  
MY UPPER  
BODY!



YOU'RE  
GONNA  
HAPTAN  
BUY-  
YOUR-  
SELF  
SOME  
ME

NONE  
THEY'RE  
GOZZIN  
OUT

IT'S A  
STUNNING  
DISPLAY  
OF AGILITY  
THAT DEFIES  
THE DOWN  
HE JUST  
RECEIVED!

AND  
ITAGAKI  
DODGES  
THEM!



HE'S ON  
A WHOLE  
DIFFERENT  
LEVEL  
WHEN IT  
COMES TO  
SPEED.



AND YET  
SOMEHOW  
HE'S STILL  
ABLE TO  
DODGE LIKE  
THAT...

THERE'S  
NO WAY  
HE'S RE-  
COVERED  
ALL THE  
WAY

YEAH,  
THAT GUY'S  
REALLY  
GOOD AT  
THIS SORT  
OF THING.

おー!  
おー!

HE'S AS  
AGILE AS  
A CAT!

JUST BUY  
ENOUGH  
TIME FOR  
YOU TO  
RECOVER.



DON'T  
OVER  
DO IT!



HE MAY  
ACTUALLY  
PULL IT  
OFF...

THE NEXT  
TIME HE  
GOES IN FOR  
A COUNTER  
PUNCH,

SCREW  
THE  
RISKS,  
GOTTA  
KEEP  
GOING!



I'VE  
GOT  
NO  
TIME!







BUT I'LL  
DEFI-  
NITELY  
LAND THE  
COUNTER  
THIS TIME  
AROUND

I JUST  
MADE A  
LITTLE  
SLIP UP  
LAST  
TIME



I'M  
AT 80  
PER-  
CENT  
MAY-  
BE...



YOU'VE  
GOT THE  
TIMING  
FIGURED  
OUT  
RIGHT?

HERE  
GOES  
THE  
LEFT  
NOW

WE'RE  
GONNA  
NAIL  
THE  
COUN-  
TER ON  
THIS  
NEXT  
TRY!

YOU'VE  
RECOVERED  
ENOUGH!  
YOU CAN  
TOTALLY  
DO THIS!  
WE'RE MUCH  
FASTER  
THAN HIM!



NOW  
DIVE IN!  
TIMING  
IS...

THREE  
...!!



ONE!

TWO!



DODGE  
IT AND  
SEND A  
PUNCH  
RIGHT  
BACK AT  
HIM...

REJECT!!

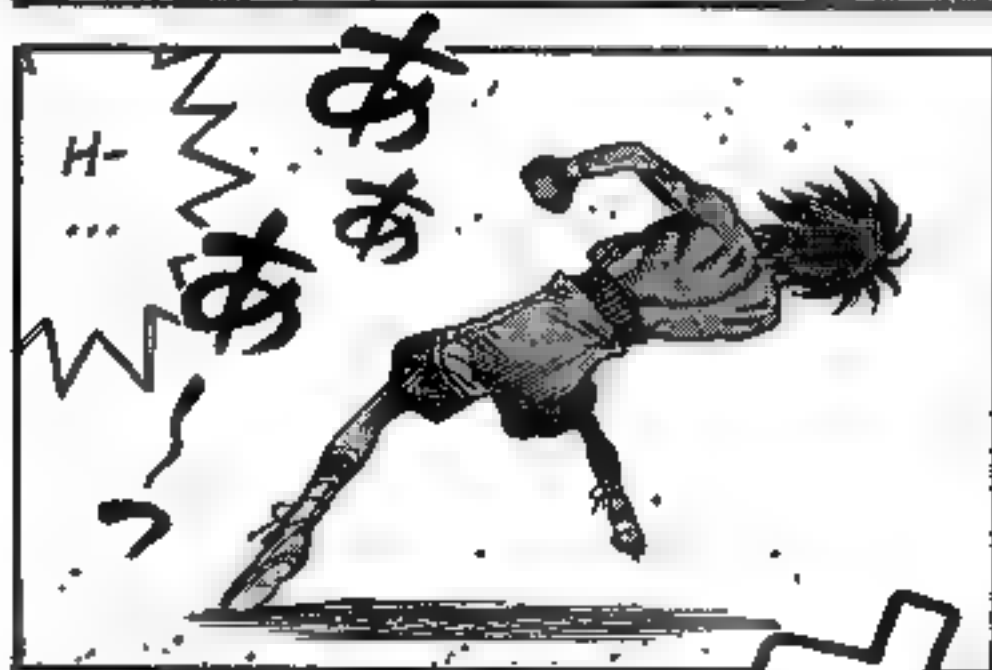






ITAGAKI  
TIPS OVER,  
BUT WILL  
HE FALL  
DOWN THIS  
TIME!?

AHHH,  
ANOTHER  
FAILED  
COUNTER  
ATTEMPT!



I HATE  
TO  
ADMIT  
THIS,  
BUT...

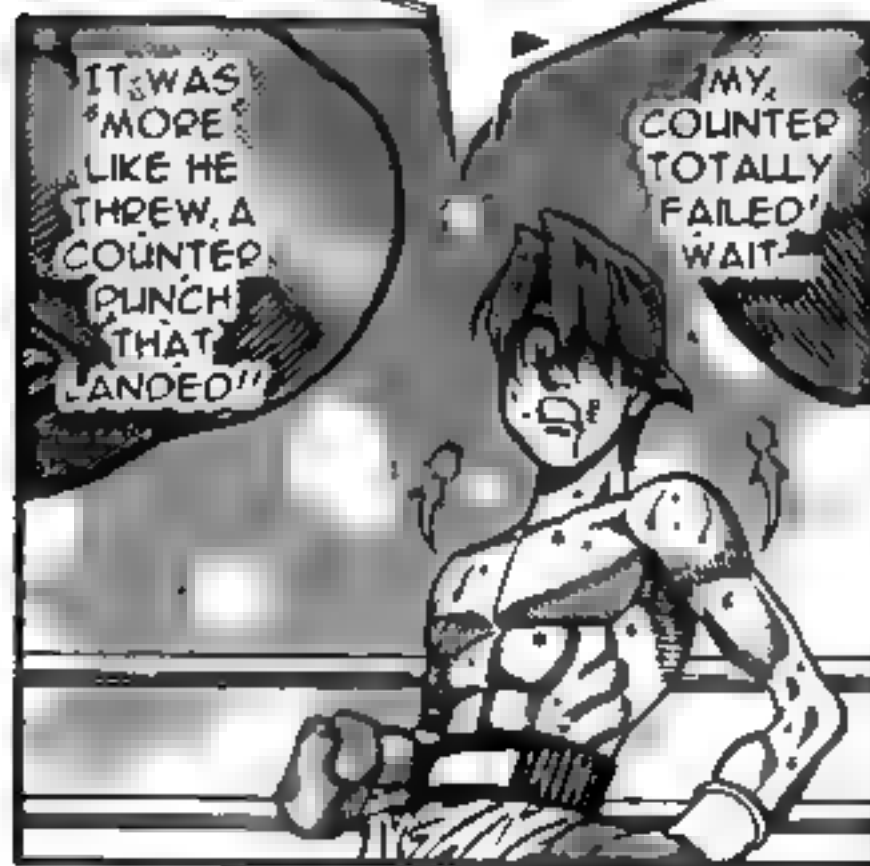
I...

HE'S  
ABLE TO  
HOLD HIS  
GROUND!

HE  
STAYS  
UP!!



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MY COUNTER TOTALLY FAILED! WAIT...

IT FAILED!!

IF I'D GONE IN FULL BLAST, I'D BE DOWN RIGHT NOW!

I SURVIVED IT BECAUSE I WAS AFRAID I'D GET HIT, SO I DIDN'T STEP IN ALL THE WAY...



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COULD IT  
BE HE SENSED  
SOME DANGER  
AFTER THAT  
EXCHANGE!?  
REGARDLESS,  
HE'S STEPPED  
AWAY...

AND  
ITAGAKI  
QUICKLY  
BACKS  
AWAY!

THIS GUY  
AIN'T LIKE  
ANYONE  
ELSE YOU'VE  
FOUGHT  
BEFORE!

TRYING TO  
END IT ALL  
IN ONE SHOT  
IS JUST WAY  
TOO RISKY!

DIDN'T WE  
SAY DON'T  
GO FOR  
COUNTERS  
ANYMORE!?

I'M SURE  
KARASAWA  
SHOULD STILL  
BE SLOWER,  
EVEN IF HE  
DID GO UP  
A GEAR.

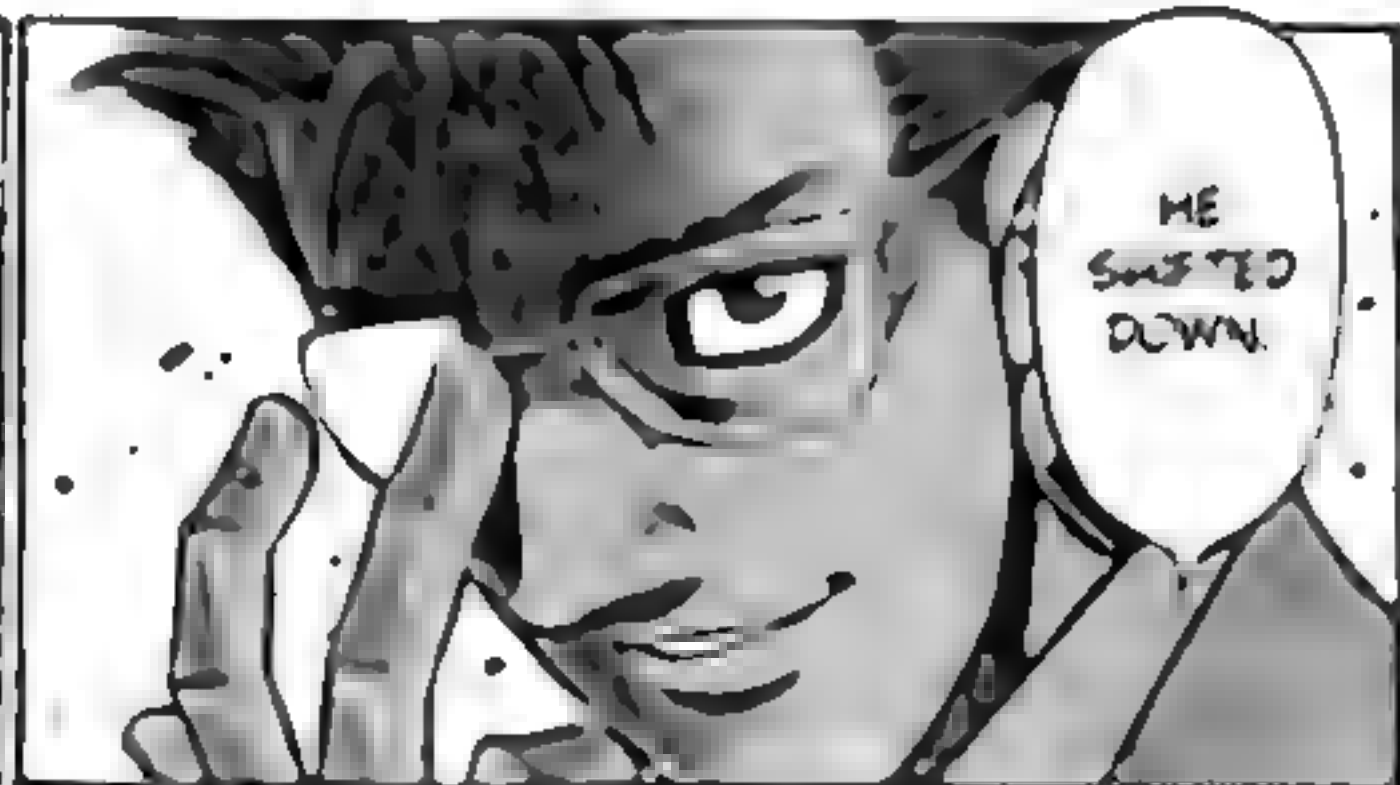
STILL,  
THIS IS  
ALL VERY  
WEIRD.

BUT THEN  
WHY DOES  
HE KEEP ON  
SCREWING  
UP WHEN  
HE GOES  
FOR ONE'?

I MEAN,  
ITAGAKI'S  
GOT THE  
RIGHT IDEA  
HERE,

IF YOU'VE  
GOT THAT  
KINDA SPEED  
ADVANTAGE,  
LANDING A  
COUNTER  
SHOULD BE  
A PIECE OF  
CAKE...

GH





SO WHEN  
ITAGAKI STEPS  
IN PREPARED  
TO DEAL WITH  
A CERTAIN  
DEGREE OF  
SPEED THAT'S  
ATTUNED TO  
THIS SLOWER  
RHYTHM...



HE DID THIS  
KNOWING  
THAT ITAGAKI  
WOULD DIVE IN  
AND TRY USING  
A COUNTER  
AGAINST IT.

KARASAWA  
ALSO GOT  
ITAGAKI  
TO ZERO  
IN ON  
THAT LONG  
REACHING  
LEFT OF  
HIS...

AT THAT  
MOMENT,  
KARASAWA'S  
PUNCHES  
RETURN TO  
HIS NORMAL  
SPEED.



THAT'S  
WHEN  
IT HAP-  
PENS!

ITAGAKI-  
KUN MUST  
BE FEELING  
LIKE HE'S  
THE ONE  
THAT'S  
SLOWER.

BUT  
AFTER YOU  
GOT  
THAT  
LAST  
PUNCH,

MAKING  
HIM THINK  
THE DIF-  
FERENCE  
IN THEIR  
SPEEDS IS  
GREATER  
THAN IT  
REALLY  
IS...

I SEE!  
THAT'S  
A PRETTY  
CLEVER  
PLAN,  
TRICKING  
HIM LIKE  
THAT.



I'M  
COMING!  
HANG IN  
THERE...

THERE'S  
NO WAY  
HE COULD  
NOTICE  
A WEIRD  
CHANGE UP  
AT THAT  
ANGLE...

A PUNCH  
LIKE THAT  
IS REALLY  
HARD TO  
FOLLOW!

COME TO  
THINK OF IT,  
KARASAWA-  
SAN'S JOB  
IS PRETTY  
FAST AND  
COMPACT...

SO THAT'S  
IT THEN...





IT'S JUST, I

LI-LI.

YOU'RE GONNA GO TELL HIM? THAT'S LOW, JAPANESE CHAMP

WHOA, WAIT A SEC...



GO AHEAD, YOU CAN TELL HIS CORNER ABOUT IT.



HE CONCEDED THAT HE WAS INFERIOR AND FORCED HIMSELF TO ADOPT THIS PLAN IN ORDER TO DEAL WITH A FIGHTER THAT'S RANKED LOWER THAN HIM.



AND HE WOULD'VE PREFERRED A DIRECT APPROACH THAT WOULD UTILIZE HIS GREATEST STRENGTH, BUT...

YOU KNOW... KARASAWA WAS A BOXER THAT HAD ALWAYS PUT ABSOLUTE FAITH IN HIS SPEED, FOR BETTER OR FOR WORSE.



AND SWALLOWING HIS PRIDE THE ENTIRE TIME...



RIGHT NOW, HE'S TRYING TO WIN WITH WHAT I'M SURE IS A VERY BITTER, HUMILIATING STRATEGY FOR HIM.



SORRY, MANABU-KUN



PLEASE FEEL FREE TO TELL THEM ALL ABOUT IT

ANYHOW.



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# はじめての一步





SCANNER RENA-CHAN  
RECUPERATING MAB  
OVERLAYS: BEARKING

QC: GROSPEY & SORWAH  
CAPRICORN: ONIMARU  
LUCKY LIBRA. PLAR



# はじめての THE FIGHTING!

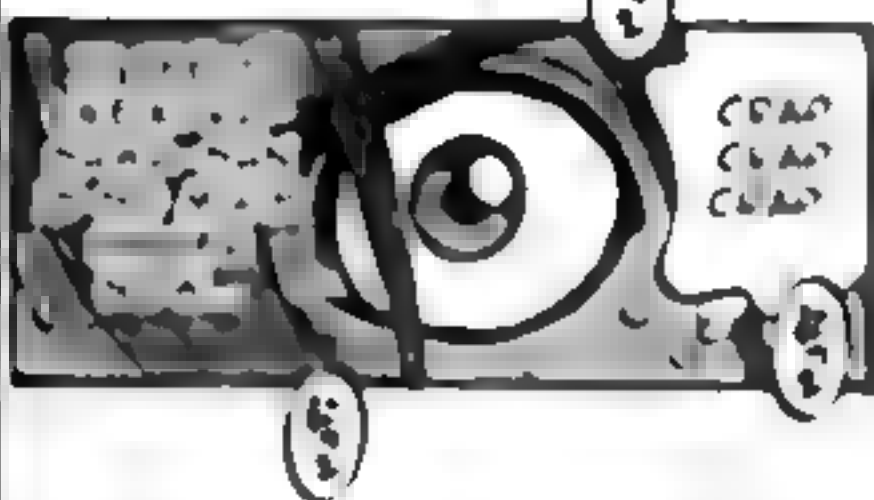
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PRESENTS  
IN A JOINT  
VENTURE  
WITH...

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ABYSS  
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TH- THEY  
AREN'T ..  
MOVING  
ANYMORE.

THINGS  
WERE  
PRETTY  
LIVELY FOR  
A WHILE  
THERE...

BEING  
FLASHY IS  
ONE OF YOUR  
STRENGTHS!  
SO DON'T  
CHICKEN OUT  
NOW...

YOUNG  
GLYS  
SHOULD  
BE MORE  
AGGRES-  
SIVE!

WHAT'S  
THE  
MATTER  
WITH YOU,  
ITAGAKI  
...!?

YEAH,  
SHUT THAT  
COCKY  
LITTLE  
TWERP  
UP FOR  
US!

I FIGURED  
ALL THAT  
GENIUS TALK  
WAS A  
BUNCH OF  
GARBAGE  
ANYWAY!

NO, MAN!  
WHAT  
KARASAWA  
DID WAS  
AWESOME!

CLEARLY,  
THEY'RE  
ENTHUSIASTS  
FAMILIAR WITH  
THE FINER  
POINTS OF  
THE SPORT.

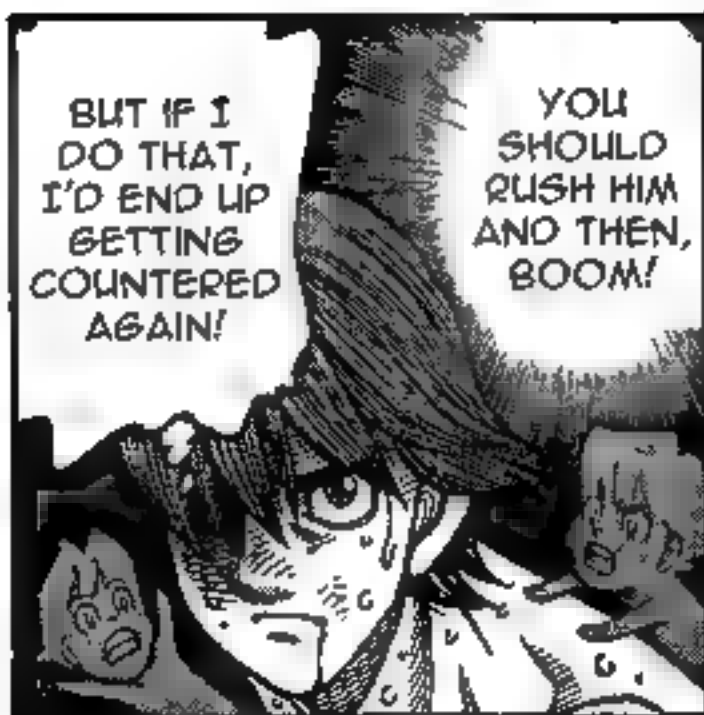
BUT THERE'S  
ACTUALLY  
SOME SAVVY  
PEOPLE HERE  
WHO LIKE  
KARASAWA'S  
STYLE A BIT  
MORE.

I WAS SO  
SURE THAT  
THE CROWD  
WOULD BE  
MORE ON  
ITAGAKI'S  
SIDE...

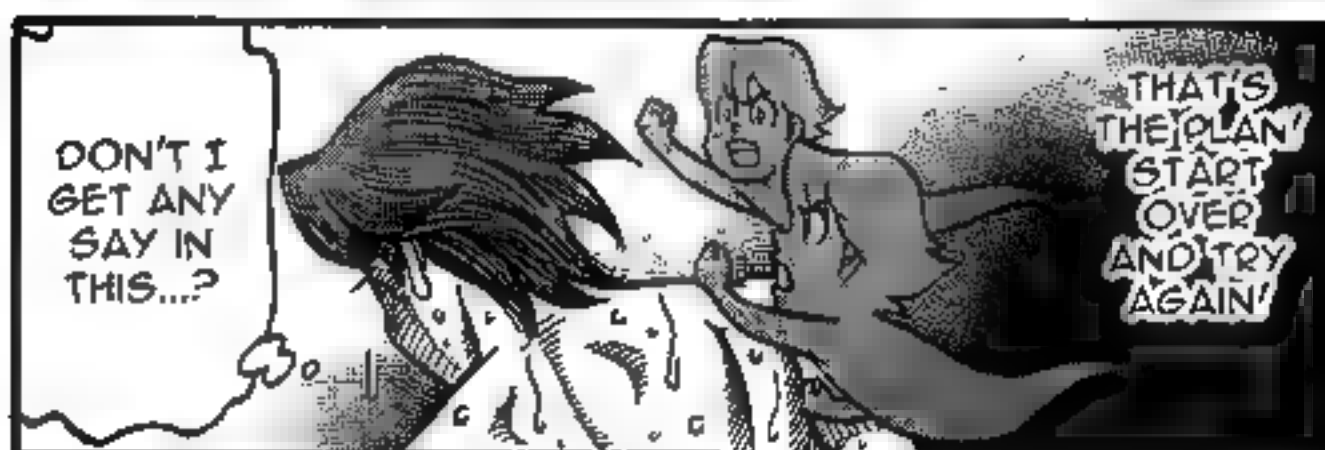
DON'T  
THEY  
KNOW  
I CAN  
HEAR  
THEM?

WOW,  
THEY'RE  
GETTING  
A LITTLE  
CARRIED  
AWAY  
NOW..

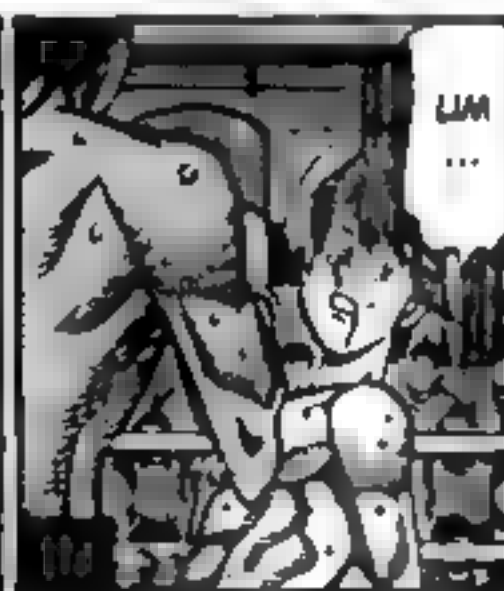
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YOU SHOULD RUSH HIM AND THEN, BOOM!









HE DOESN'T CARE ABOUT GETTING A KO VICTORY AFTER SCORING A DOWN

SO HE DOESN'T WANT TO BEAT ME BY GOING BEHIND A KNOCK OUT?



WHAT INCENTIVE IS THERE FOR ME TO GO IN THE WRENCH?

I'VE ALREADY SCORED A DOWN IN THIS FIGHT

IF WE KEEP UP THIS STAGNANT CONTEST ALL THE WAY TO THE FINAL ROUND THEN THAT DOES MEAN I'LL WIN A KNOCK OUT



SINCE THE ONLY WAY TO OVERCOME THAT HUMILIATION IS WITH



IT MIGHT MAKE ME FEEL SICK BUT I HAVE TO CHOKE DOWN THAT FEELING

I'VE ALREADY HAD TO ADMIT YOU'RE BETTER THAN ME IN MY OWN SPECIALTY



BUT STILL DON'T YOU THINK THAT'S KINDA COIN

I MEAN I'VE ALREADY KNOWN THAT THERE'S MORE TO BOXING THAN KNOCK OUTS



I CAN TOTALLY TELL WHAT HE'S THINKING RIGHT NOW

AW, MAN



AND I DON'T CARE HOW I WIN!

VICTORY!!

SO THAT'S THE WAY I'VE GONNA BE THEN HUM?



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I MEAN, IT'S VERY DIFFICULT TO GET A LIVELY BOXER LIKE THAT TO SETTLE DOWN.

I DON'T THINK THIS WAS AN EASY THING FOR HIM TO DO.

JUST THINK OF IT AS KARASAWA SETTING THINGS AT HIS OWN PACE.

THIS IS BECOMING MORE AND MORE LIKE THE KIND OF FIGHT BOXING EXPERTS REALLY LIKE TO SEE.

PRETTY DAMN CLEVER, KARASAWA.

HE'S PLANTED HIMSELF IN CENTER RING, POURING ON THE PRESSURE, AND WAITING THINGS OUT.

SITUATIONS LIKE THESE HAVE A TENDENCY TO KEEP ON REPEATING THEMSELVES WELL INTO THE LATER ROUNDS.

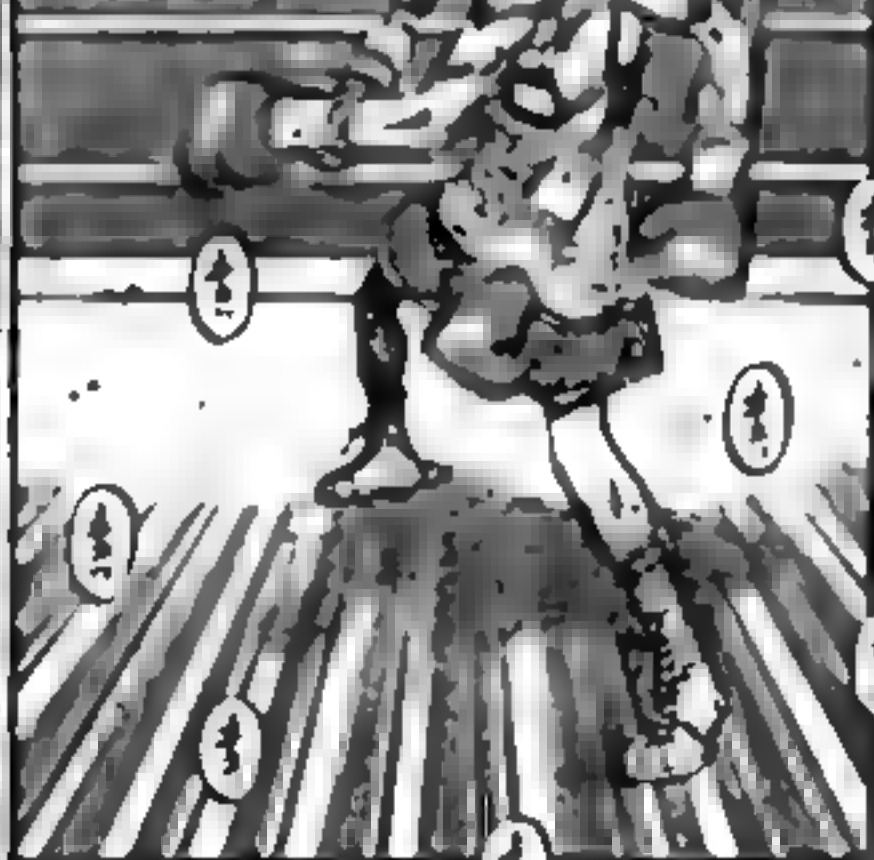
IF ITAGAKI GETS IMPATIENT AND MAKES ANY CARELESS MOVES, HE'S GONNA GET SMACKED IN THE HEAD FOR IT.

IF HE ISN'T CAREFUL, HE'S GONNA FALL RIGHT INTO THE TRAP...

WHAT'S YOUR LITTLE PRANKSTER GONNA DO NOW?

ITAGAKI'S LIKE AN ANT THAT'S BEEN CAUGHT AT THE EDGE OF AN ANTLION PIT...

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I'M  
GONNA  
JUMP  
IN ANY-  
WAY!

I WAS  
WAITING  
FOR  
THIS!



BUT HIS  
ATTACK  
IS MET  
BY KARA-  
SAWA'S  
LEFT!

ITAGAKI  
ATTEMPTS  
TO STRIKE  
OUT...







TIME'S  
QUICKLY  
RUNNING  
OUT!

DAMMIT  
ALL TO  
HELL...

YOU'VE  
GOTTA  
HIT HIM  
WITH  
SOME-  
THING!

TOY  
BEIN'  
MORE  
AGGRES-  
SIVE!

HEY,  
DON'T  
FALL  
NOW!



BUT  
KARASAWA  
IS ABLE  
TO KEEP  
HIS COOL  
THROUGH  
THIS BER-  
SERKER  
BARRAGE!

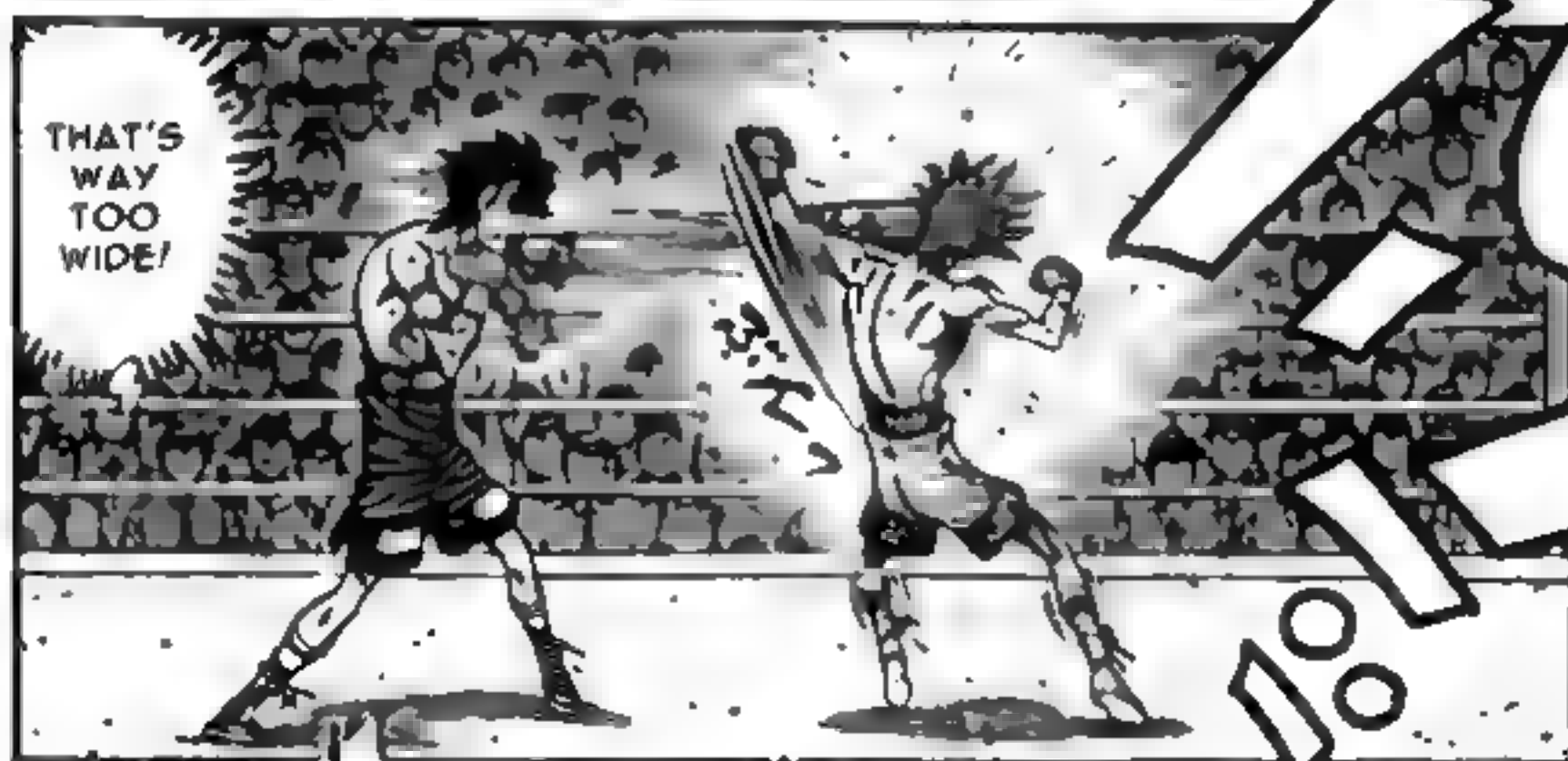
HE'S  
LASHING  
OUT WITH  
WILD  
SWINGS  
NOW!



HE HITS  
AS HIS  
OPPONENT  
PULLS  
HIS FIST  
BACK!

AND A  
CALABLY  
AIMED  
LEFT IS  
ABLE TO  
FIND THE  
MARK!

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AND AFTER  
MEETING  
WITH NO  
SUCCESS,  
HE MAKES A  
SIGNIFICANT  
RETREAT!

ITAGAKI  
CAN'T  
PUSH  
FOR-  
WARD



AND YET  
YOU STILL  
INSIST ON  
FIGHTING  
WITH YOUR  
ENTIRE  
GUARD  
DOWN!

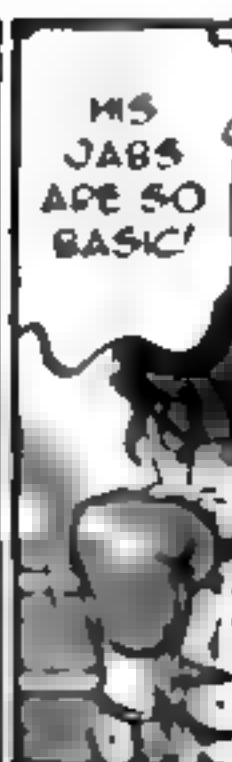
AND  
ANOTHER  
THING  
YOU'VE  
TAKEN  
ALL THESE  
PUNCHES





I'VE GOTTA HIT HIM WITH SOMETHING

DON'T LOSE YOUR COOL, MAN!

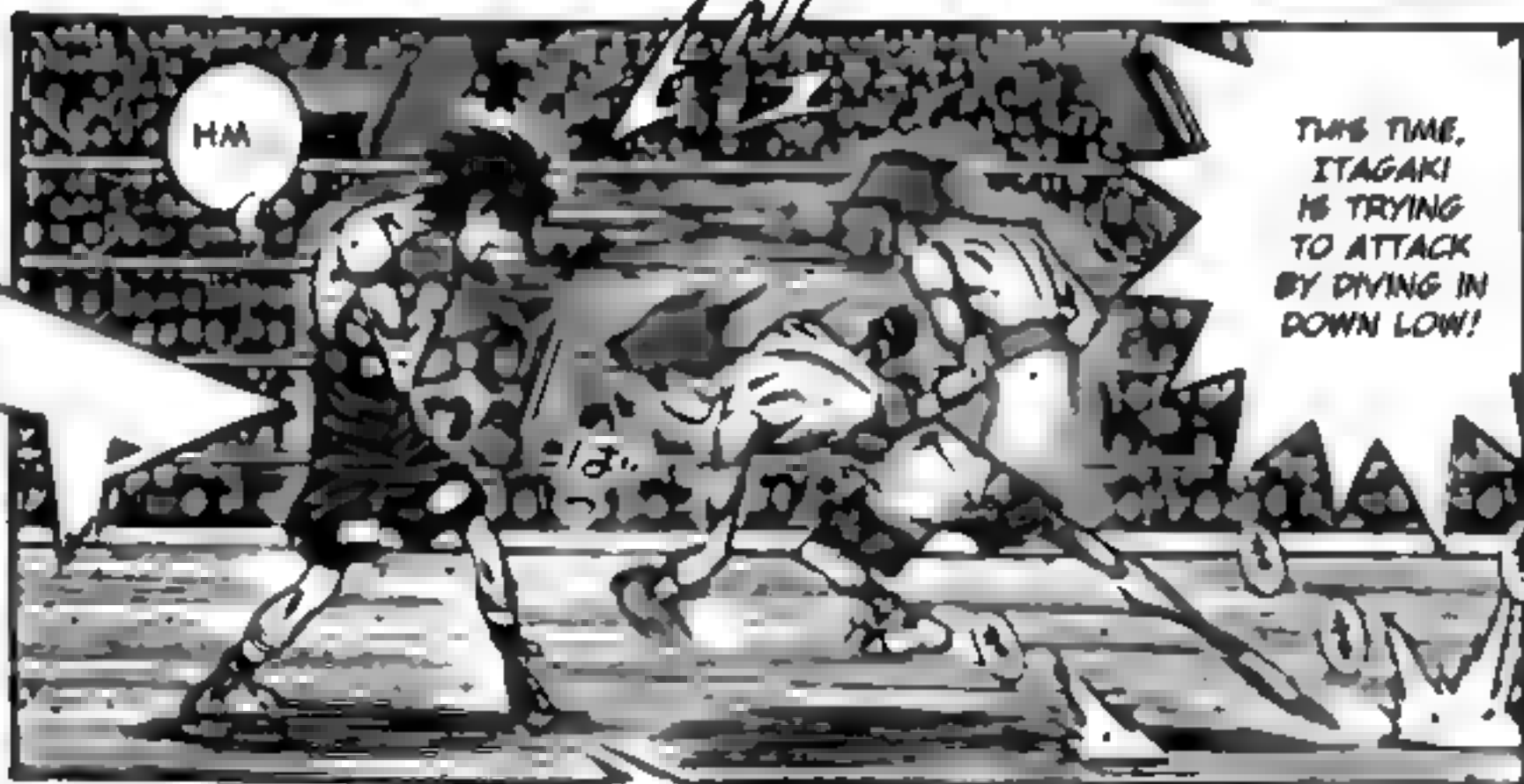


HIS JABS ARE SO BASIC!



GETTING HIT BY ALL OF THESE SIMPLE PUNCHES IS PISSING ME OFF

OW  
WW



HAM

THIS TIME, ITAGAKI IS TRYING TO ATTACK BY DIVING IN DOWN LOW!



I'VE GOT YOU NOW!!



TSK!



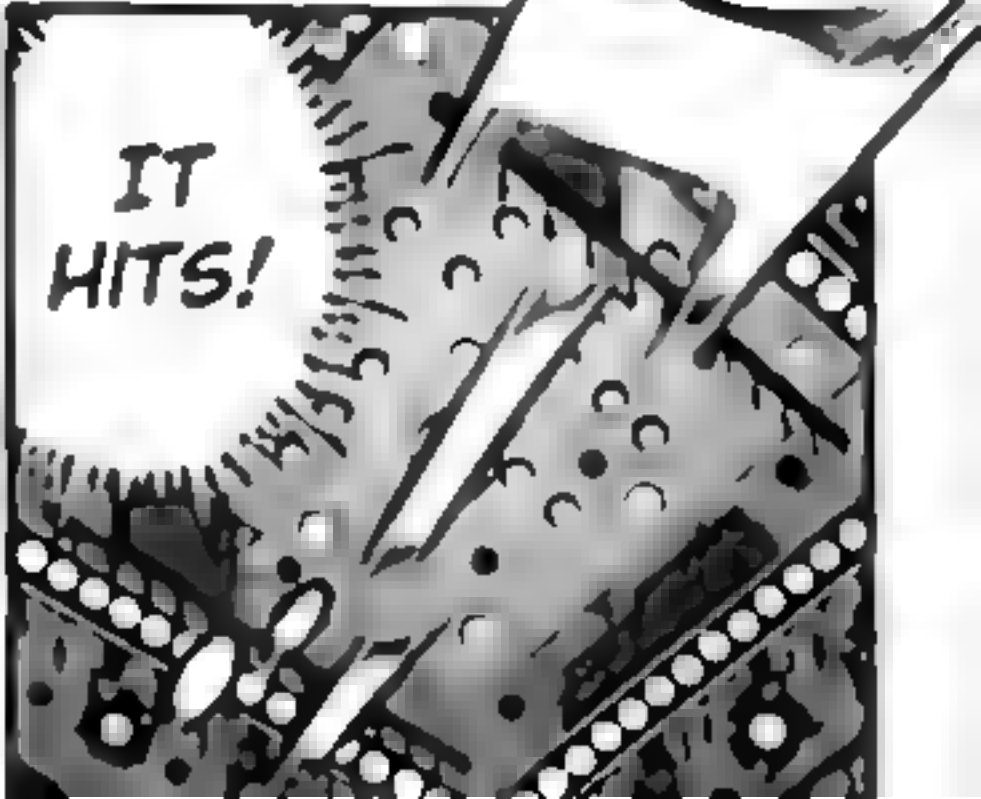
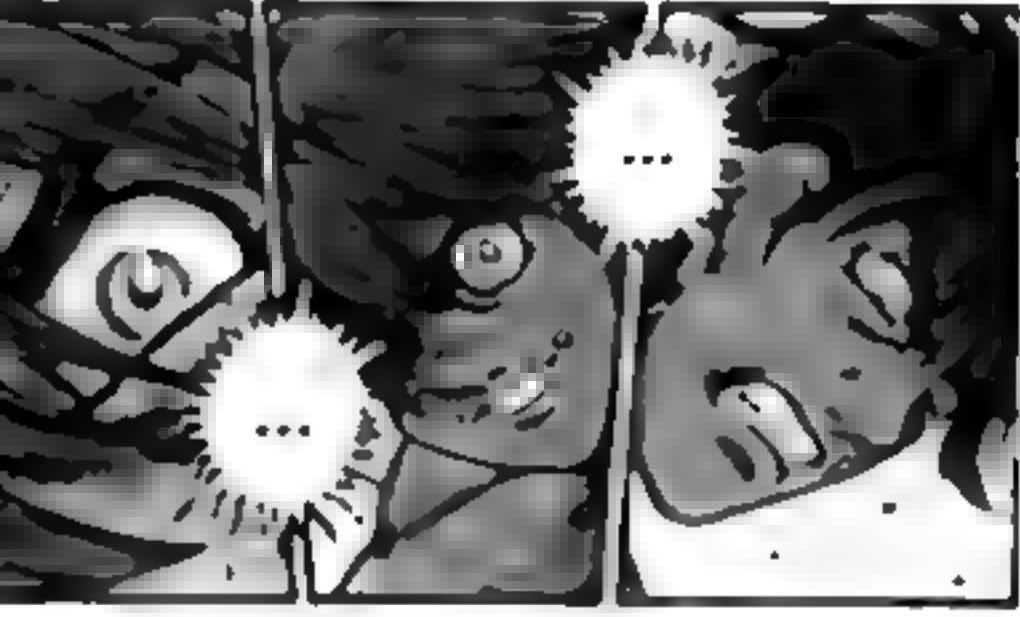
THROW A LOW LEFT TO DISTRACT HIM.

THEN COME IN HARD WITH AN OVERHAND RIGHT!

IT'S  
THE  
REAL  
DEAL

THAT  
TALENT  
YOU'VE  
GOT

IT'S  
LONGER  
THAN  
WAY  
HARD  
YOU  
CAN  
WITH  
ANY  
ON  
YOUR  
FACE  
LIFE  
YOU  
WELL  
BE  
ALL  
TRYING  
YOURSELF







DID  
KARA-  
SAWA-  
SAN  
MAKE  
IT SO  
HE'D HIT  
THERE!?

NO,  
WAIT  
...

HE HIT  
THE  
HARDEST  
PART  
OF THE  
HEAD!

HE  
HURT  
HIS  
RIGHT  
FIST!



I'M SURE  
KARASAWA  
FELT THAT,  
BUT I THINK  
ITAGAKI-  
KUN MAY  
BE WORSE  
OFF HERE.

THAT'S  
A BAD  
PLACE  
FOR A  
FIST TO  
LAND A  
HIT...



A REAL FIGHT  
ISN'T SOME-  
THING SO  
CASUAL THAT  
YOU SHOULD  
UNDERTAKE  
IT WITH A BIG  
SMILE ON  
YOUR FACE.

YOUR SKILLS  
MAY BE  
IMPRESSIVE,  
BUT YOU'RE  
NOT BATTLE-  
HARDENED  
AT ALL...



HE'S WAY  
TOO GREEN...  
HE'S MAKING  
IT OBVIOUS  
THAT HE HURT  
HIMSELF.

MEANWHILE,  
KARASAWA  
BARELY EVEN  
FLINCHED  
AFTER HE WAS  
HIT BY THAT.

AFTER  
ALL THAT,  
IT JUST  
TURNED OUT  
LIKE THE  
SPARRING  
DID...

JUST HOW  
CONCEITED  
YOU ARE!

I HOPE  
YOU'VE  
REALIZED  
NOW...



BUT I  
GUESS  
NOT.

I WAS  
HOPING  
HE'D GET IT  
TOGETHER  
IN TIME TO  
TURN THIS  
INTO A REAL  
MATCH...

ALL OF HIS  
PUNCHES AT  
THIS POINT  
ARE TOTAL  
GARBAGE!  
THEY MAKE  
HIM AN EASY  
TARGET.

I DON'T  
KNOW WHY,  
BUT WHEN HE  
GETS TENSE,  
HE ALWAYS  
DIVES IN AND  
BACKS OUT IN  
A STRAIGHT  
LINE...



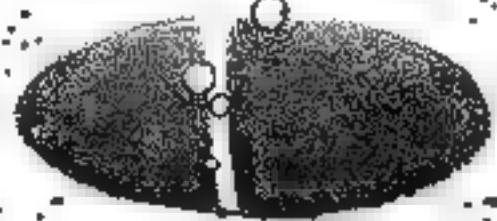
INSTEAD,  
HE JUST  
FELL RIGHT  
INTO THE  
TRAP...

GREAT,  
NOW  
WHAT THE  
HELL AM I  
SUPPOSED  
TO DO!?

EITHER  
WAY,  
I CAN'T  
MAKE A  
DECENT  
FIST...

IS IT  
BRO-  
KEN  
...!?

YUP,  
HE'S IN  
THE PITS  
NOW.



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## THE FIGHTING

### IGNITION ONE

MAIN IG  
PRESENT  
IN A JO  
IDENTI  
WITH

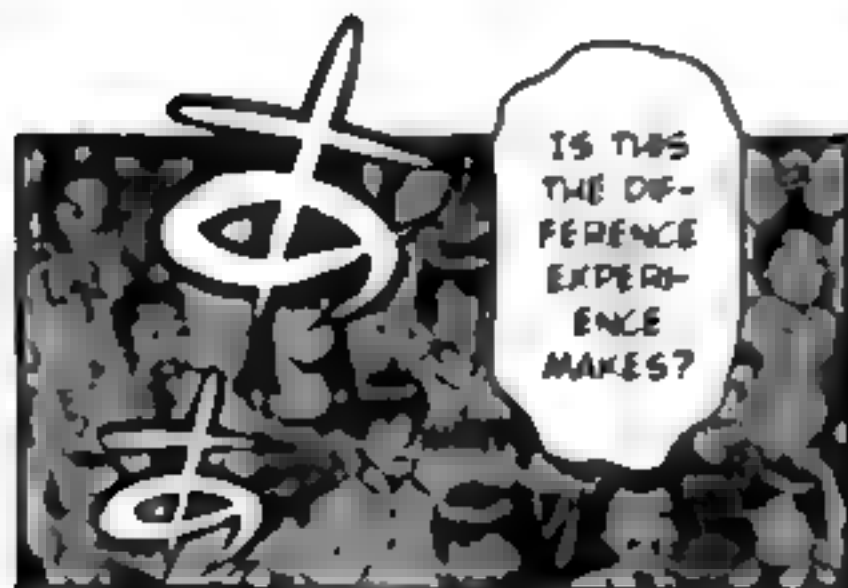
THE  
FIRST  
ROUND  
IS OVER  
WITH!

IT SEEMED  
LIKE ITAGAKI  
WAS GOING  
TO DOMINATE  
THIS MATCH  
USING HIS  
UNCANNY  
SPEED,

ROUND 1  
IS OVER!  
KARASAWA  
HAS TAKEN  
THE LEAD!!

BUT IT WAS  
THE FIGHTER WHO  
HAS EXPERIENCED  
A TITLE MATCH  
THAT SHINED  
DURING AN INTENSE  
THREE MINUTES  
AND SCORED A  
KNOCKDOWN!

THIS LOOKS  
TO BE A  
10-8 LEAD IN  
KARASAWA'S  
FAVOR!!



IS THIS  
THE DIFF-  
ERENCE  
EXPERI-  
ENCE  
MAKES?



BUT ALL  
HE DID WAS  
JUST BUZZ  
AROUND  
THE RING.

ITAGAKI  
WAS  
REALLY  
FAST,



IT'S NOT  
JUST THAT!  
KARASAWA  
MIGHT NOT  
HAVE MOVED  
AROUND A  
LOT, BUT HIS  
SPEED IS ON  
THE SAME  
LEVEL!

OTHER-  
WISE HE  
WOULDN'T  
HAVE  
SCORED  
THAT  
DOWN!



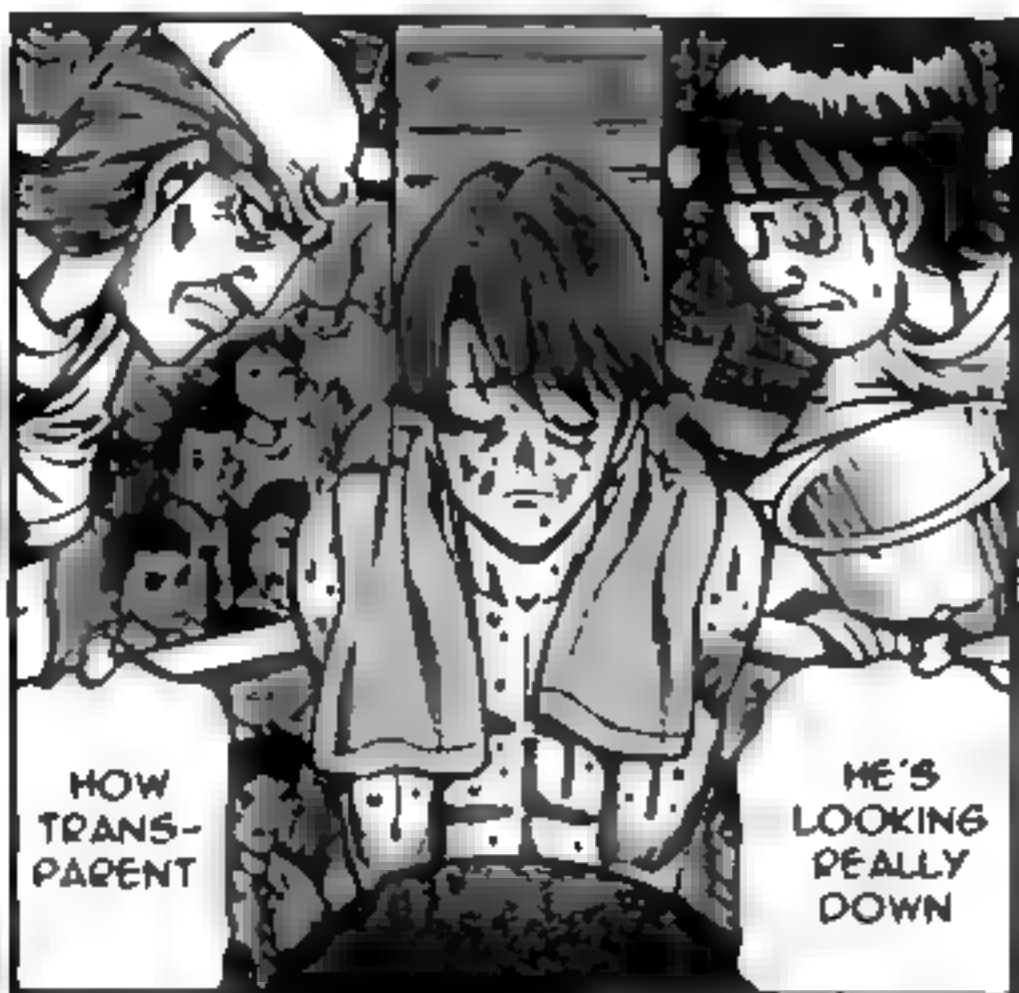
BUT NOW  
IT'S LIKE A  
FUNERAL  
OVER THERE  
OR SOME-  
THING

HE CAME  
IN WITH  
SUCH HIGH  
SPIRITS,

TAKE  
A LOOK  
AT THE  
BLUE  
CORNER

THAT  
KARA-  
SANA.

HE'S  
ONE  
TOUGH  
CUS-  
TOMER







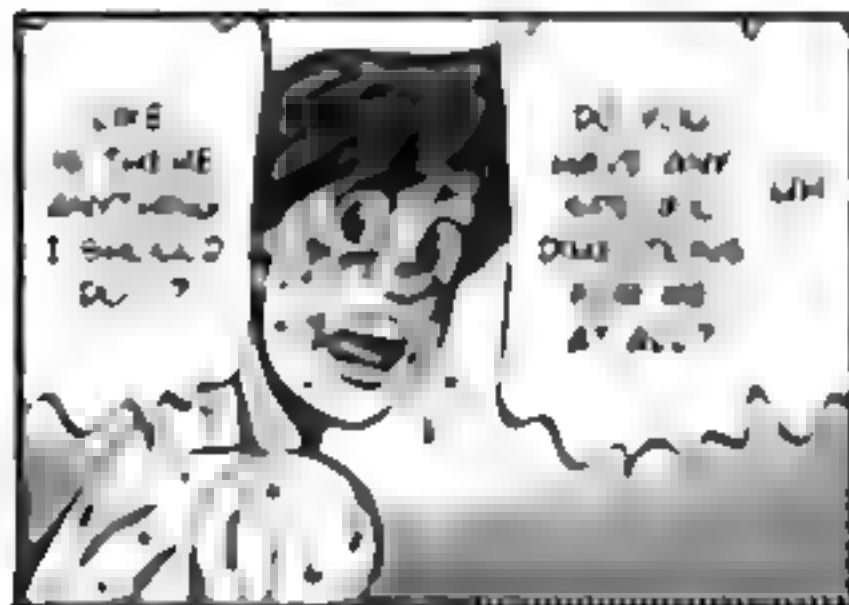


THIS IS  
WHAT IT'S  
LIKE WHEN  
YOU'RE A  
CLASS A  
BOXER!

THAT'S  
RIGHT



A BUNCH  
OF 'EM  
THE ME



LIVE  
IN THE ME  
ANY MORE  
I SHOULD  
DO ?

DO YOU  
HAVE ANY  
ONE OF  
THE ME  
FOR ME  
AT ALL ?



SEC-  
ONDS  
OUT!

AM





TH...  
THAT'S  
IT?



PAY  
ATTENTION.



I'LL  
LEAVE  
IT TO  
YOU.

I'M GOING  
TO FOLLOW  
THROUGH  
NOW...



AND HE'S  
STATIONED  
FIRM AT  
THE CENTER  
OF THE RING  
NOW AND  
WILL SLAP  
ME AROUND  
IF I DIVE IN.

AIMING  
TO LAND  
WITH A  
COUNTER  
PUNCH  
IS WAY  
TOO  
RISKY,

HE'S  
JUST A  
LITTLE  
BIT  
FASTER  
THAN  
I AM,

OKAY,  
LET'S  
DO A  
QUICK  
RECAP.

HA  
~  
HA

I'VE  
GOTTA  
THINK  
THIS  
OVER  
ON MY  
OWN  
THEN.



I'LL ONLY  
BE ABLE  
TO USE  
IT A FEW  
MORE  
TIMES AT  
BEST.

OW!

NOW  
MY  
RIGHT'S  
BEEN  
HURT.

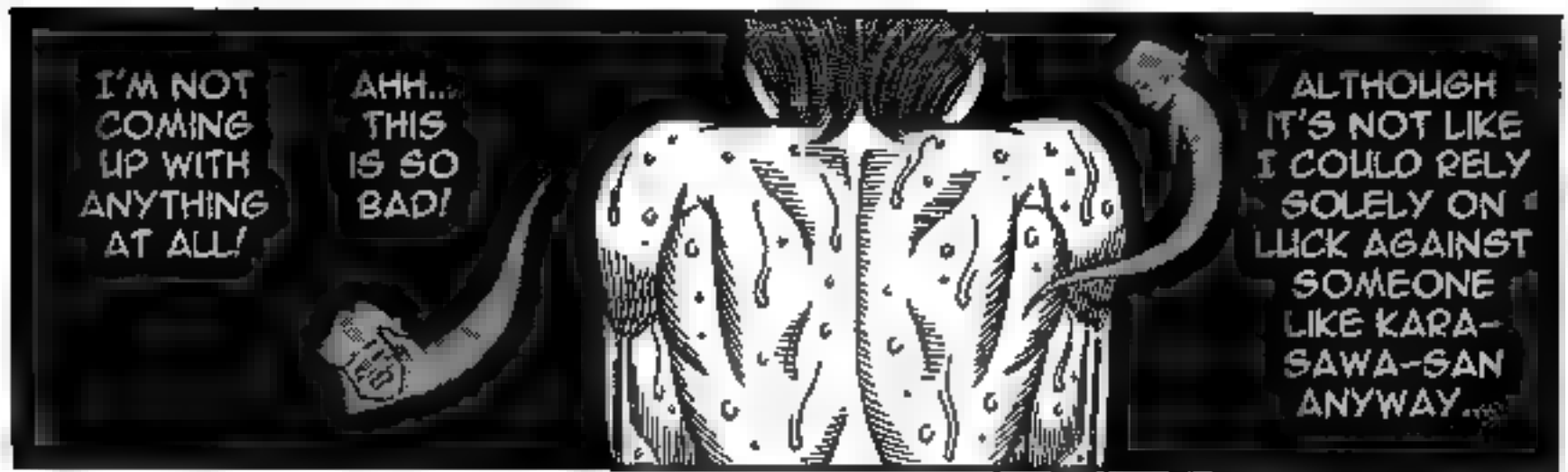
THERE  
WAS THE  
SLIGHT  
CHANCE  
THAT I  
COULD  
WIN IT BY  
LANDING  
A LUCKY  
RIGHT,  
BUT...

I NEED  
TO WIN  
IN THIS  
ROUND IF  
I WANNA  
BEAT THAT  
TIME...  
THIS IS IT  
THEN!

THE 2:15  
MARK  
IN THE  
SECOND  
ROUND  
IS MY  
GOAL.



# THE ENDLESS ABYSS - FOR THE FANS, BY THE FANS!



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TIME TO  
GET TO  
WORK!

AND  
ROUND 2  
BEGINS!



WHAT  
DO I DO?  
WHAT DO  
I DO!?

KARA-  
SAWA-SAN  
PROBABLY  
WON'T BE  
THE ONE  
TO MAKE  
THE FIRST  
MOVE



I CAN'T  
AFFORD  
TO  
MAKE  
ANY  
SLIP-  
UPS

STAY  
FO-  
CUSED  
NOW

I HAVE  
TO BE  
LIKE A  
MACHINE  
EXECUTE  
FLAW-  
LESSLY

I BETTER  
THINK HARD  
ABOUT  
HOW TO  
APPROACH  
HIM.

CONSIDERING  
ALL OF THE  
BEATINGS I'VE  
TAKEN AFTER  
MAKING THE  
FIRST MOVE.

C'MON,  
YOUNG  
BLOOD!  
GO MAKE  
THE FIRST  
MOVE...

HEY, KID!  
YOU KNOW  
THE CLOCK  
IS RUNNING,  
RIGHT?

ARE YOU  
GONNA  
CHICKEN  
OUT?!

DON'T  
KEEP  
YOUR  
ELDERS  
WAITIN'!

I'M  
RUNNING  
OUT OF  
TIME  
HERE..

CREATE  
AN OPPOR-  
TUNITY BY  
THROWING  
OUT SOME  
PUNCHES!

DAMMIT!  
IF HE  
WON'T  
GO FOR  
IT, THEN  
I WILL!

THE MENTAL  
DAMAGE IS  
STILL THERE  
EVEN THOUGH  
THE PHYSICAL  
DAMAGE HAS  
PASSED.

THAT  
DOWN  
WAS  
PRETTY DEVAS-  
TATING.

I'M  
SURE  
OF  
IT..

BUT  
EVEN SO,  
MANABU-  
KUN WILL  
STILL  
MAKE THE  
FIRST  
MOVE.

AS A  
RESULT,  
HE'S LOST  
ALL HIS  
NERVE.





AND HE  
MOVES IN,  
BUT A LEFT  
WAS WAITING  
FOR HIM!

IT'S A  
REPEAT OF  
THE LAST  
SCENE



IT'S ALMOST  
LIKE WE'RE  
WATCHING  
A HIGHLIGHT  
REEL THAT'S  
REPLAYING  
ITSELF OVER  
AND OVER  
AGAIN!

ITAGAKI  
CONTINUES TO  
BE BLASTED  
WITH JABS!

WHAT A  
SORRY  
EXCUSE  
FOR A  
MATCH!

AND HE'S  
SUPPOSED  
TO BE A  
GENIUS!?

QUIT  
TRYIN' THE  
SAME CRAP  
EVERY  
SINGLE  
TIME!

HE'S BEEN  
TRAPPED,  
AND NOW  
THAT'S ALL  
HE CAN DO.

IS THAT  
THE ONLY  
THING YOU  
KNOW HOW  
TO DO!?







# JOLT! - THE HAJIME NO IPPO RESOURCE CENTER!



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ITAGAKI'S  
EFFORTS  
ARE ALL  
FRUITLESS  
AS HE'S  
UNABLE TO  
CLOSE IN!

LEFT  
AFTER  
LEFT HITS!  
KARASAWA  
IS ONLY  
USING ONE  
HAND!



SO UNLESS  
I MOVE  
FORWARD,  
I DON'T  
HAVE A  
CHANCE.

HE  
WON'T  
CHASE  
AFTER  
ME...





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SETTLING  
THINGS IN  
THE REALITY  
THAT I'VE  
NOT LEFT IS  
PRACTICALLY  
IMPOSSIBLE!





PAY  
ATTEN-  
TION!



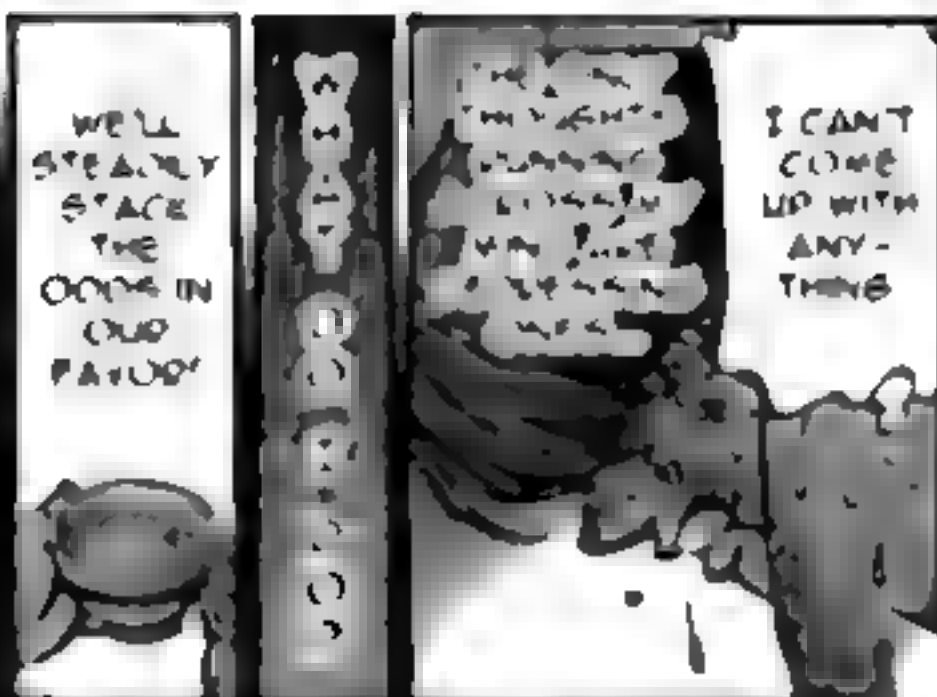
AND MY  
RIGHT  
HAND'S  
WASTED

I CAN'T  
CLOSE  
A SPACE  
BETTER  
THAN  
MY



WHAT THE  
HELL AM I  
SUPPOSED  
TO DO IN A  
SITUATION  
LIKE THIS?!

I'M  
TOTALLY  
DROPPED  
OUTTA  
HERE



WE'LL  
STEADILY  
SPACE  
THE  
ODDS IN  
OUR  
FAVOR

W  
H  
Y  
D  
O  
Y  
O  
U  
D  
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H  
I  
S

THE  
THINGS  
I  
WANT  
TO  
DO  
ARE  
NOT  
POSSIBLE

I CAN'T  
COME  
UP WITH  
ANY-  
THING

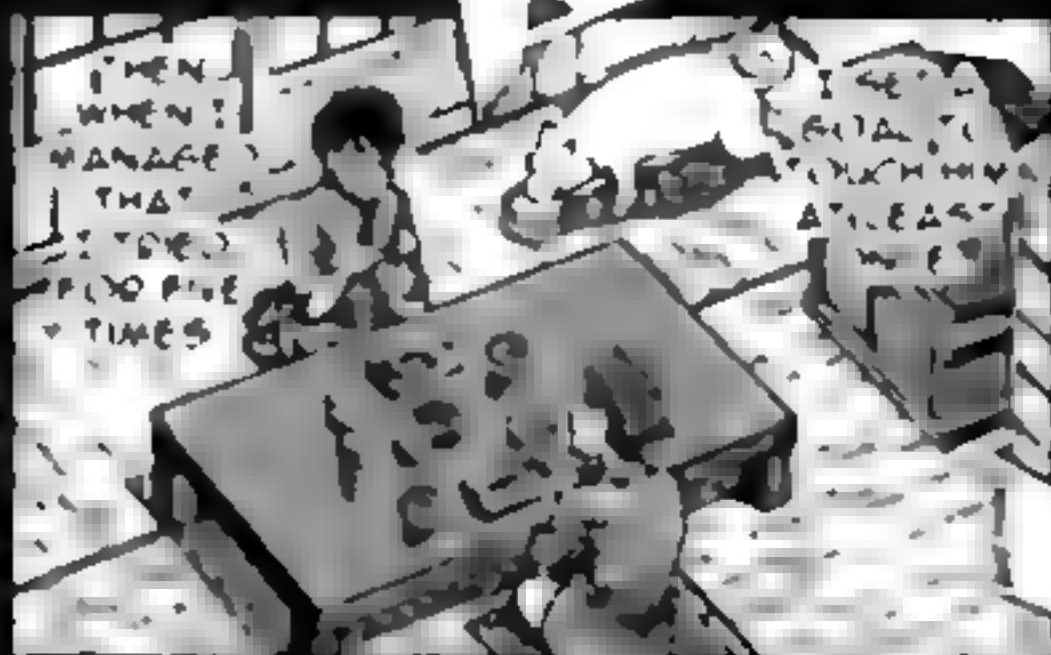


IN THE END,  
ALL THAT  
IT DOES IS  
PROVE HOW  
INCREDIBLE  
SENPAI IS!!

**DONE READING? COME DISCUSS IT AT THE FORUM!**



THE  
NUMBER  
THAT  
I WAS  
AIMING  
FOR



I THEN  
WENT  
MANAGE  
THAT  
I COULD  
FLOOR FIVE  
5 TIMES



AFTER THAT,  
I STARTED  
TO SLOWLY  
INCREASE...



**COME VISIT THE  
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AFTER THAT,  
I STARTED  
TO SLOWLY  
INCREASE  
THE NUMBER  
THAT I WAS  
AIMING FOR.

# はじめる THE FIGHTING!

**IGNITION-ONE**  
WWW.IGNITION-ONE.ORG

PRESENTS  
IN A JOINT  
VENTURE  
WITH...

**ENDLESS  
ABYSS**  
it's high-tech, not T.A.  
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YEAH,  
I GET IT  
NOW...

STACK  
UP THE  
ODDS, I SEE  
SLOWLY  
INCREASE  
THINGS.



BUT  
HOW  
AM I  
GONNA  
PULL  
THAT  
OFF?

JUST  
WORK ON  
BUILDING  
UP SOME  
SMALL  
GAINS...

FIRST,  
I NEED  
TO START  
BUILDING  
UP SOME  
SMALL  
GAINS...

I'LL  
FORGET  
ABOUT MY  
GOAL FOR  
THE TIME  
BEING.

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SOME  
LEFT  
JABS!!



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# THE ENDLESS ABYSS - FOR THE FANS, BY THE FANS!



DON'T  
WORRY  
ABOUT  
DOIN' REAL  
DAMAGE,  
JUST ZAP  
HIM...

YEAH,  
KEEP  
STINGIN'  
HIM!

ONCE  
YOU  
LAND  
ONE,  
GO FOR  
TWO,  
THEN  
THREE!



JUST  
CONCEN-  
TRATE ON  
LANDING A  
BUNCH OF  
LEFTS.

FOCUS  
YOUR  
MIND AND  
BODY.



OKAY!!



KEEP IT  
SIMPLE!

ONLY  
LEFTS!



JUST  
START  
OFF  
WITH  
ONE  
FOR  
NOW!

YOU CAN  
WORRY  
ABOUT  
ALL THAT  
OTHER  
STUFF  
AFTER  
LANDING  
SOME  
LEFTS

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IT SEEMS  
HE HAS PUT  
A HALT TO ALL  
HIS OFFENSIVE  
ATTEMPTS!

ITAGAKI'S  
STOPPED  
MOVING NOW!  
IS IT THAT  
HE CAN'T  
MOVE!?



IT'S  
GONE  
NOW.

HAM  
...



YOU'VE  
STILL GOT  
NOTHING TO  
SHOW FOR  
ALL YOUR  
EFFORT!

WHATSA  
MATTER?  
YOU AIN'T  
GONNA GET  
NOWHERE  
IF YOU  
DON'T DO  
SOMETHIN'  
HERE!



HE ISN'T  
HESI-  
TATING  
ANY-  
MORE.



I'LL  
JUST  
INTER-  
CEPT  
YOU  
EVERY  
TIME

BRING  
IT ON  
THEN

HAS HE  
GOTTEN  
HIS ACT  
TOGETHER  
FOR  
ANOTHER  
ATTEMPT?



SOME-  
BODY DO  
SOME-  
THING!

WHAT'RE  
YOU DOING!?  
THIS ISN'T  
A STARING  
CONTEST!



ITA-  
GAKI,  
LEARN  
FROM  
THIS

MANA  
BU-  
KUN





WHILE  
KARASAWA  
PATIENTLY  
WAITS AT  
CENTER  
RING!

ITAGAKI  
MAKES HIS  
MOVE!

WE'RE  
WITHIN  
STRIKING  
RANGE!

EVEN IF  
HE IS  
INEXPERI-  
ENCED,  
THIS STILL  
MAKES NO  
SENSE.

HAS HE  
COMPLETELY  
LOST IT  
OR SOME-  
THING?

HE  
KEEPS  
TRYING  
THE  
SAME  
THING  
OVER  
AND  
OVER.

DON'T  
JUST DIVE  
STRAIGHT  
IN AGAIN!

THAT'S  
JUST  
GONNA  
END THE  
SAME  
WAY!

INTER-  
CEPT  
HIM  
NOW!!

NAIL  
HIM WITH  
SOME  
LEFTS!

HE'LL  
NEVER BE  
ABLE TO  
CLIMB HIS  
WAY OUT  
OF THIS  
TRAP.

WELL  
DONE!

NO...  
KARASAWA  
HAS SIMPLY  
MADE IT SO  
HE DOESN'T  
HAVE ANY  
OTHER  
CHOICE.

OH, MAN...  
HE'S GONNA  
GET SHOT  
DOWN SO  
BADLY!





YEAH,  
KEEP ON  
SCHOOLING  
THAT KID!

NICE,  
KARA-  
SAWA!



GET A  
CLUE  
ALREADY,  
MAN!

SEE  
THERE?  
HE GOT  
YOU!



AH!



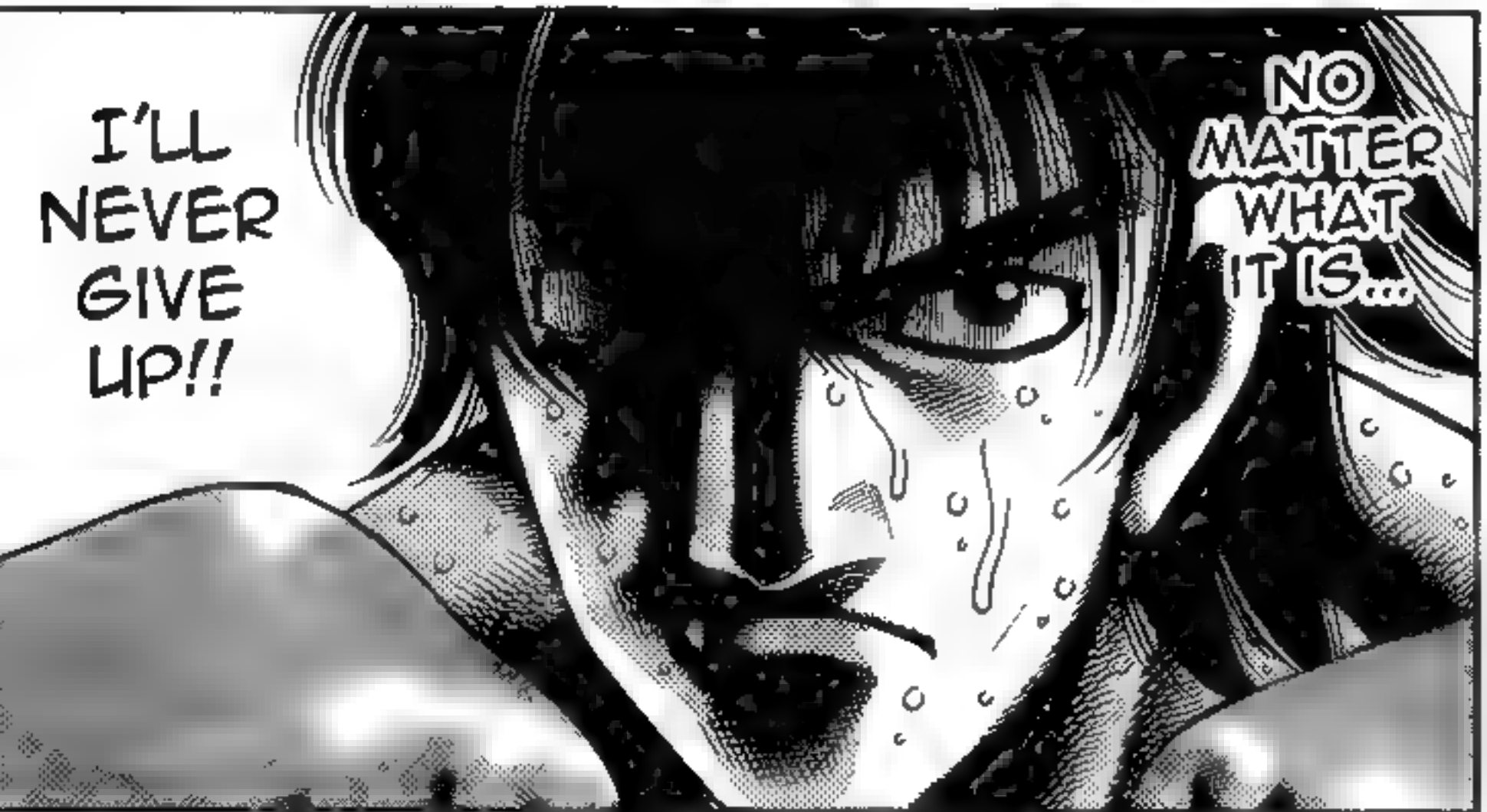
DON'T GET  
TOO HOPEFUL...  
I WON'T BE  
MAKING ANY  
MISTAKES HERE.  
I'M GOING  
TO WIN THIS!



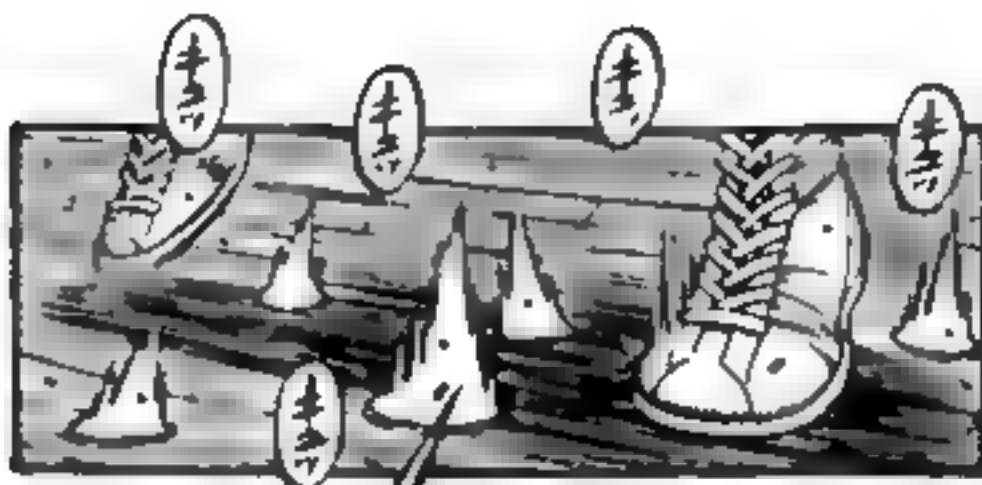
HE'S  
BEEN  
PUSHED  
BACK  
AGAIN!

AND  
ITAGAKI  
BACKS  
OFF!

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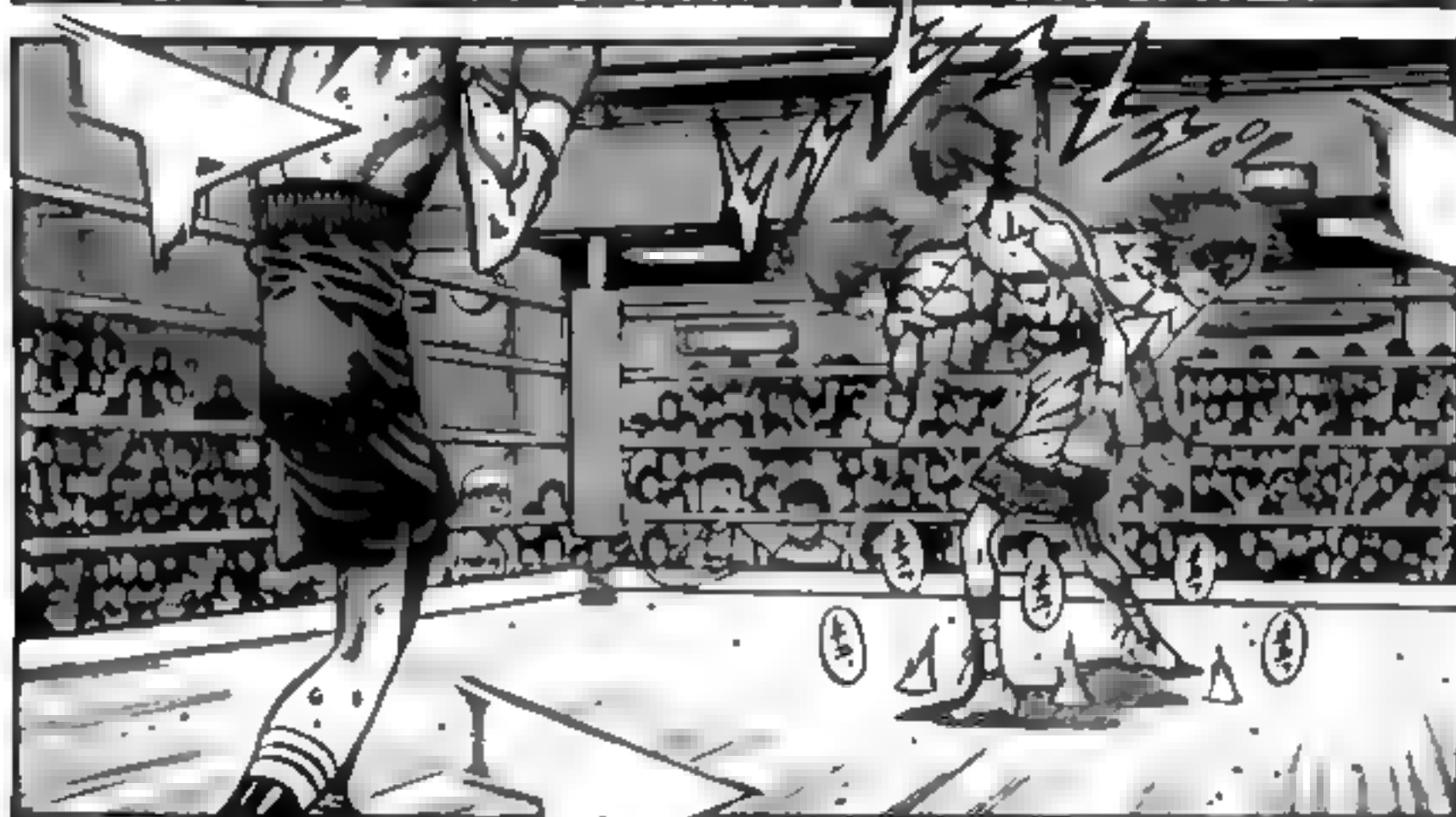
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SINCE I  
CAN'T GO  
STRAIGHT  
IN...



I'LL GO  
IN FROM  
THE SIDE  
THEN!



ALL I  
HAVE TO  
DO IS  
SHIFT MY  
WEIGHT



WELL,  
TOO  
BAD!

YOU  
WANT  
TO GO  
TO THE  
SIDE?



THAT'S  
CERTAINLY  
DIFFER-  
ENT .

HM, HE'S  
STARTING  
TO BOB  
AND WEAWE  
NOW .





AND  
YOU'RE  
RIGHT  
IN MY  
SIGHTS  
AGAIN!



DAMN IT,  
GOTTA BE  
FASTER...

MUCH  
FASTER  
THAN  
THIS



...

THE  
ANT-  
LION  
PIT...



THERE'S  
NOWHERE  
TO HIDE.

AS LONG  
AS KARA-  
SAWA IS  
IN CENTER  
RING...



FASTER,  
FASTER,  
FASTER,  
FASTER,  
FASTER,  
FASTER,  
FASTER!



QUICKER,  
QUICKER,  
QUICKER,  
QUICKER,  
QUICKER

FASTER,  
FASTER,  
FASTER,  
FASTER,  
FASTER!



PRETTY  
IMPRESSION!  
YEAH, IT'S  
GOTTA BE  
SOMETHING  
THAT YOU'RE  
JUST BOON  
WITH

SEE  
SO THIS  
S' WHAT  
YOUR  
TOO IS  
SPEED  
LIKE!

STAY  
CALM,  
KARA-  
SAWA.

HE'S  
KICKED  
IT INTO  
TOP  
GEAR.

HE'S  
GONNA  
BURN  
THROUGH  
ALL HIS  
REMAINING  
STAMINA.

SOME-  
THING'S  
DIFFERENT  
FROM  
BEFORE.

WAIT A  
MINUTE...

I'M STILL  
ABLE TO  
KEEP YOU  
WITHIN MY  
SIGHTS  
JUST FINE

IT'S  
NOT LIKE  
YOU'VE  
DISAP-  
PEARED  
FROM  
MY VIEW  
OR ANY  
THING

BUT

AS LONG  
AS YOU  
KEEP YOUR  
DISTANCE  
AND STAY IN  
THE CENTER  
OF THE RING,  
YOU SHOULD  
BE ABLE TO  
KEEP TRACK  
OF HIM WELL  
ENOUGH

THE AFTER  
IMAGES  
ALMOST  
MAKE IT  
LOOK LIKE  
THERE'S  
MORE  
THAN ONE  
OF HIM

LEFT, RIGHT,  
UP/DOWN  
HE'S WEAVING  
HIS BODY  
ALL OVER THE  
PLACE AND  
AT VERY HIGH  
SPEEDS







DID HE  
REALLY  
GET  
FASTER  
AGAIN?

WHAT  
THE...



SO HE  
CAN GO  
EVEN  
FASTER  
THAN  
THAT?



I LOST  
HIM FOR  
JUST A  
SECOND  
THERE

WHAT  
THE HELL  
WAS  
THAT?



THEN  
THERE'S  
NO WAY  
HE'D EVER  
MAKE IT  
OUT OF  
THAT PIT  
HE FELL  
INTO...

IF HE  
WAS  
SOME  
KIND OF  
SHITTY  
BELLY  
CRAWLIN'  
BUG.



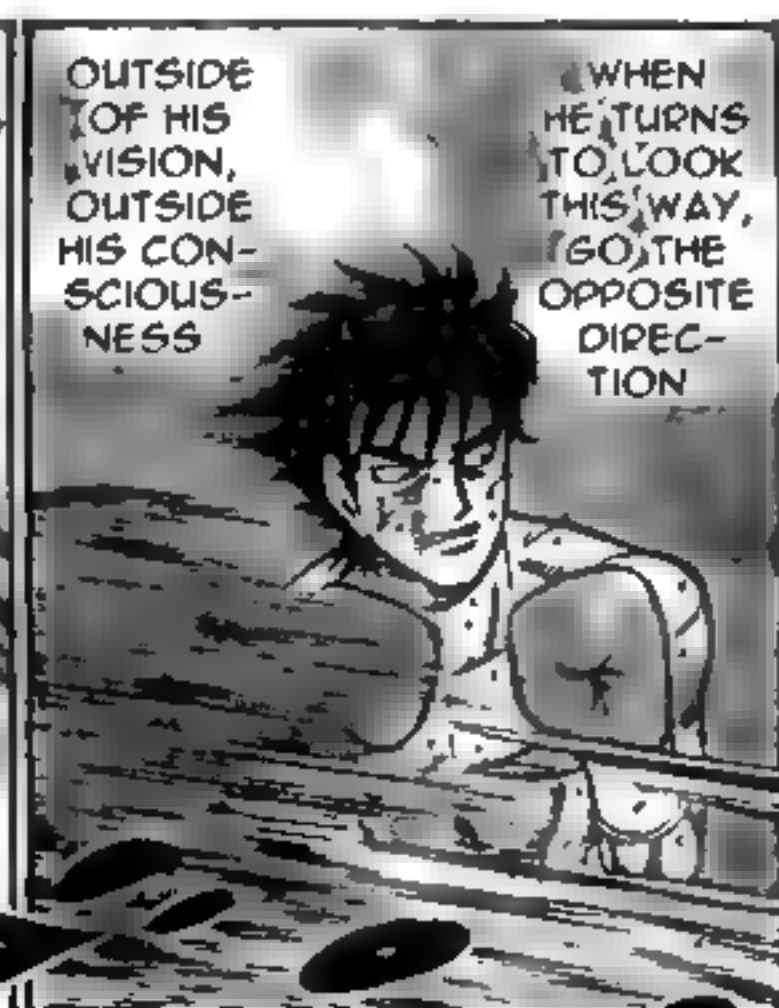
KEEP  
FOCUSED  
AND STAY  
OUTSIDE  
HIS LINE  
OF SIGHT!!

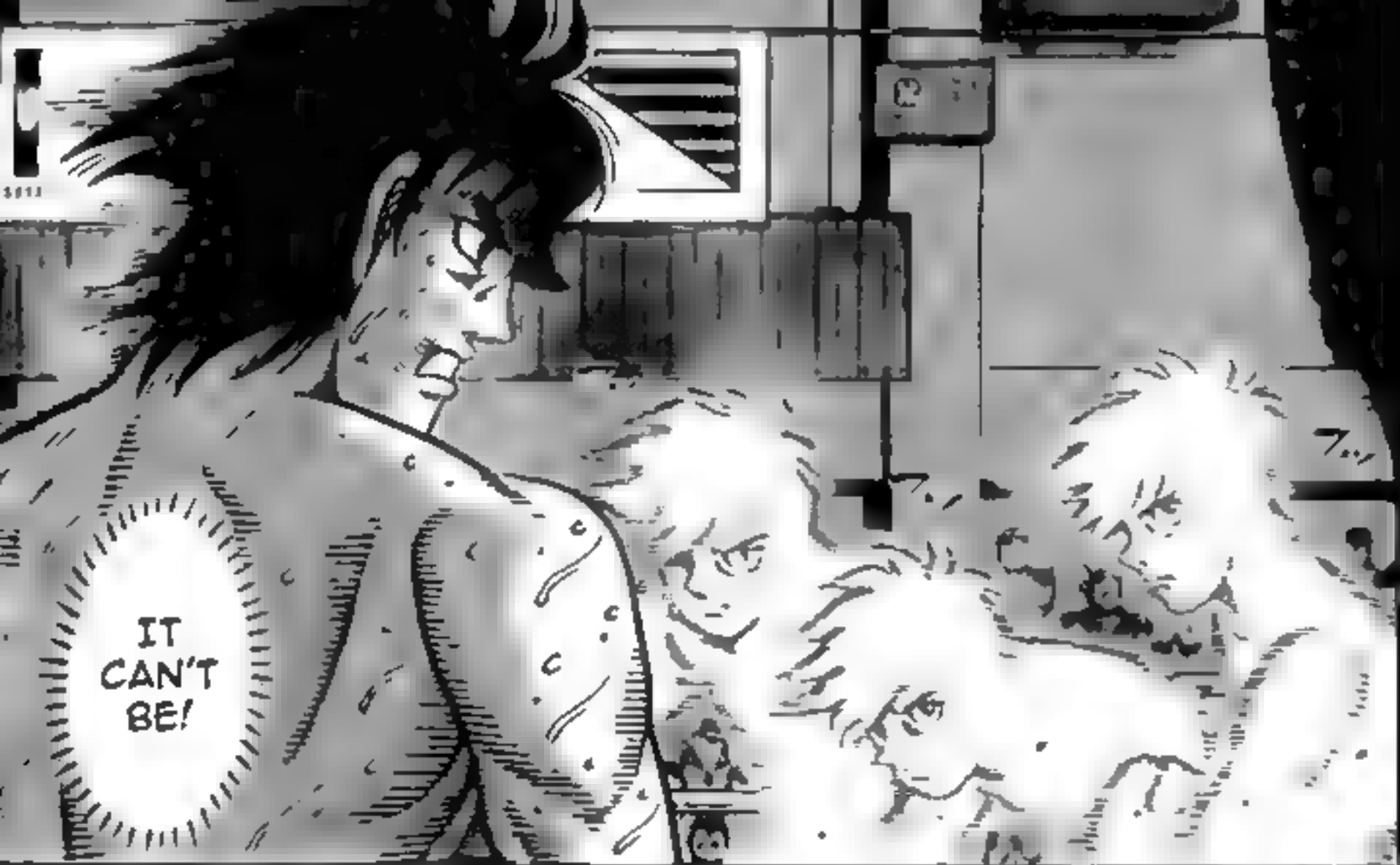
HE'S STILL  
CATCHING  
ME ON THE  
EDGE OF HIS  
PERIPHERAL  
VISION



BUT SOME  
OF THEM  
HAVE GOT  
WINGS,  
Y'KNOW...

BUGS  
MAY BE  
BUGS,  
YLD ...







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**COME VISIT THE  
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I'VE LOST  
SIGHT  
OF HIM...

WHERE  
DID HE  
GO!?

はっぴの  
THE FIGHTING!

SOME-  
WHERE  
INSIDE  
OF...

HE'S  
OUT  
THERE  
SOME-  
WHERE.

WHERE  
IS HE!?

HE'S  
SOME-  
WHERE  
INSIDE  
OF THIS  
RING...



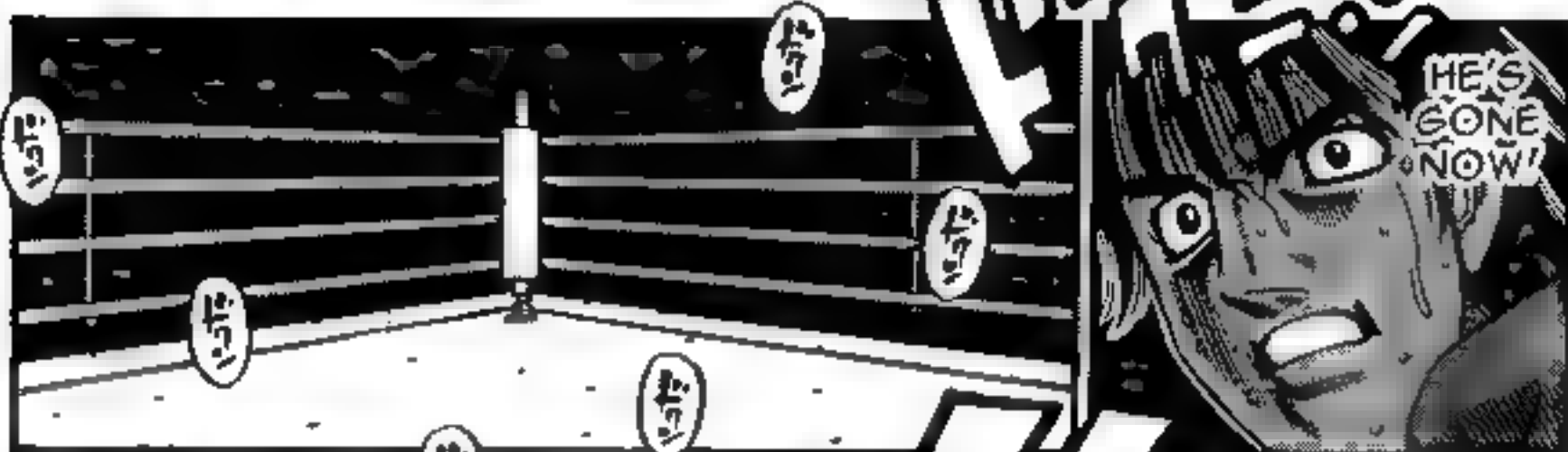
UWA!

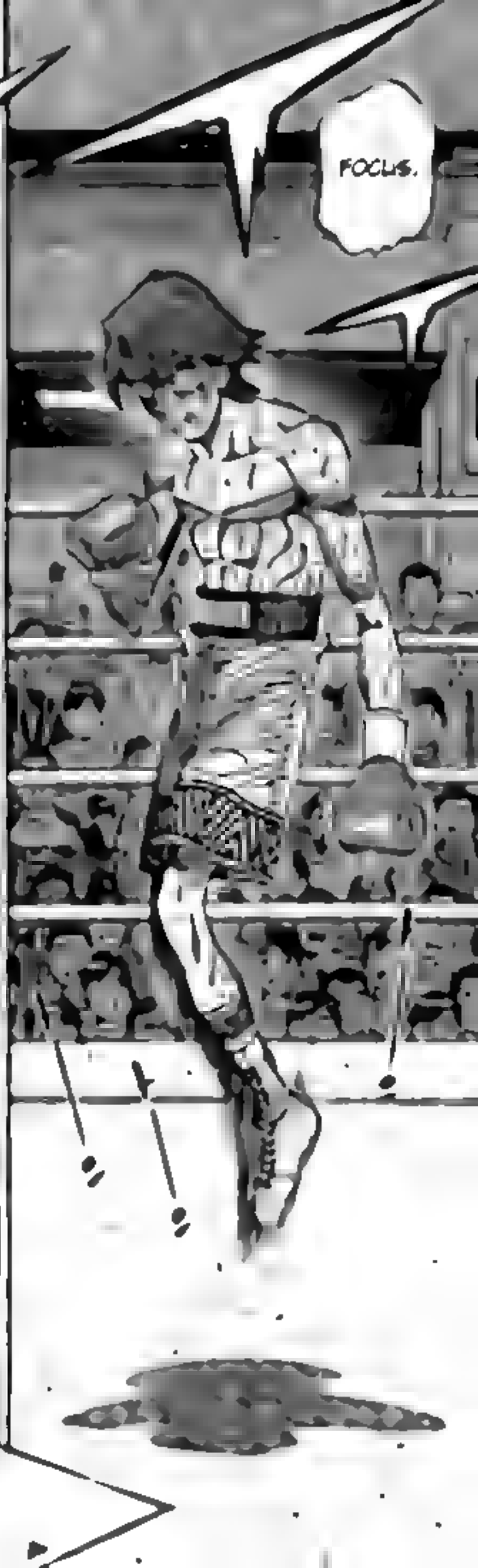
AND  
THERE  
HE  
OFF

SCANNER, RENA  
BACK-IN-ACTION MAB  
OVERLAYS BEARKING

QC: GROSPY & SORNAH  
SIMON BELMONT ONIMARU  
ALEXANDER LICARD PLAR







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HOW  
MUCH  
FASTER  
CAN  
YOU  
GET?

HE  
HARDLY  
TIPPED  
OUT

AND  
SLIDING  
FROM THE  
LEAD OF  
THEIR



PUTTING  
THAT ASIDE,  
THE REAL  
PROBLEM IS  
HOW HE'S  
WEAVING HIS  
BODY TO THE  
LEFT AND  
RIGHT

THERE'S  
NO WAY  
THAT YOU  
CAN OUTFRIN  
THE HUMAN  
EYE WITHIN A  
RING THAT'S  
20 SQUARE  
FEET, JUST  
BY BEING  
FAST



IT'S ALL  
A PART  
OF HIS  
NATURAL  
TALENT!!

SOME  
THING  
MORE  
THAN  
THE  
EYE

THE  
EYE  
IS  
NOT  
THE  
ONLY  
THING  
THAT  
CAN  
SEE

THE  
EYE  
IS  
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THING  
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CAN  
SEE

THE  
EYE  
IS  
NOT  
THE  
ONLY  
THING  
THAT  
CAN  
SEE

WHEN YOU  
TRYING TO  
PERFORM  
THE  
MOVEMENT  
WITHIN  
THE  
EYE

THE  
EYE  
IS  
NOT  
THE  
ONLY  
THING  
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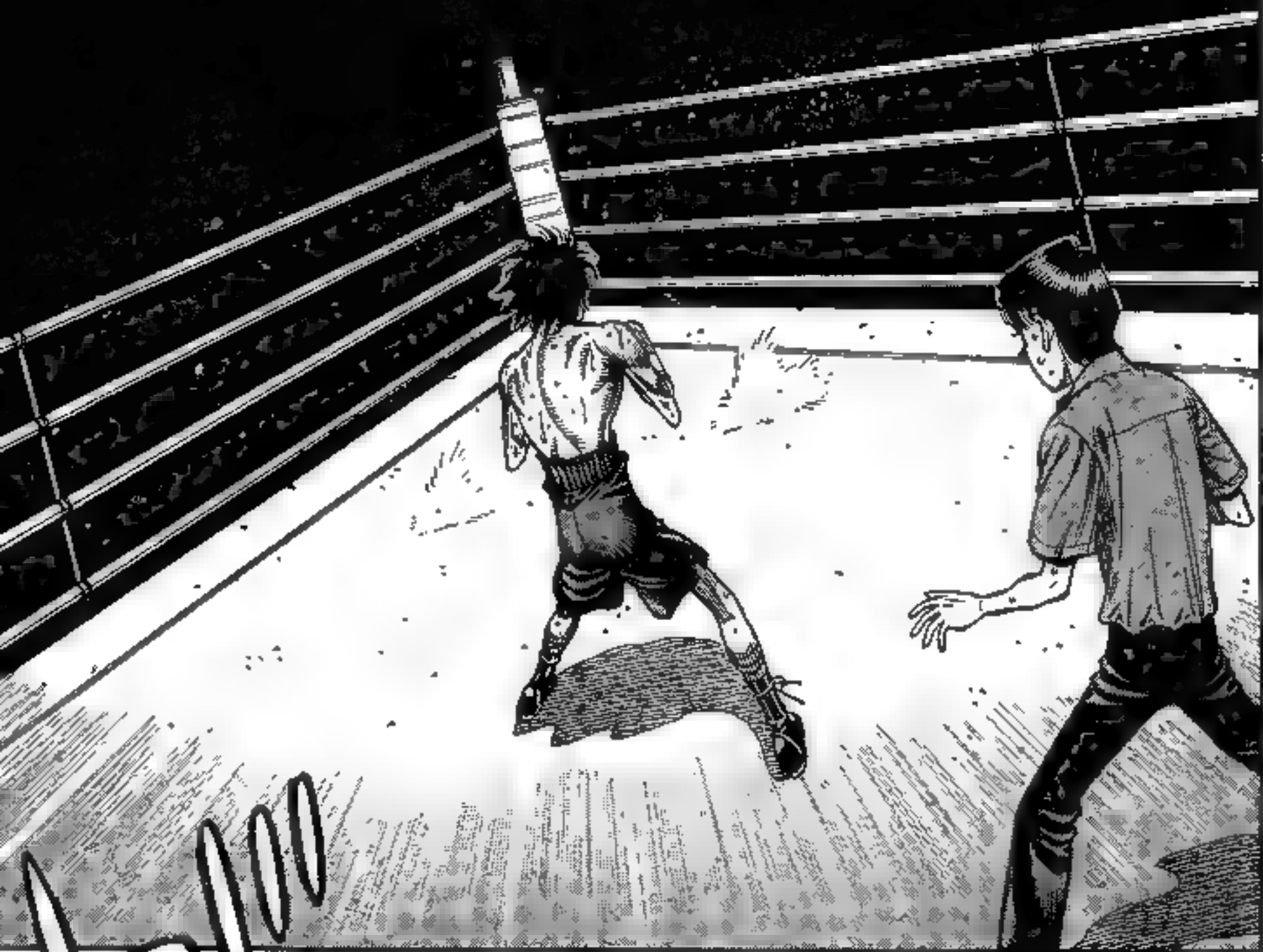
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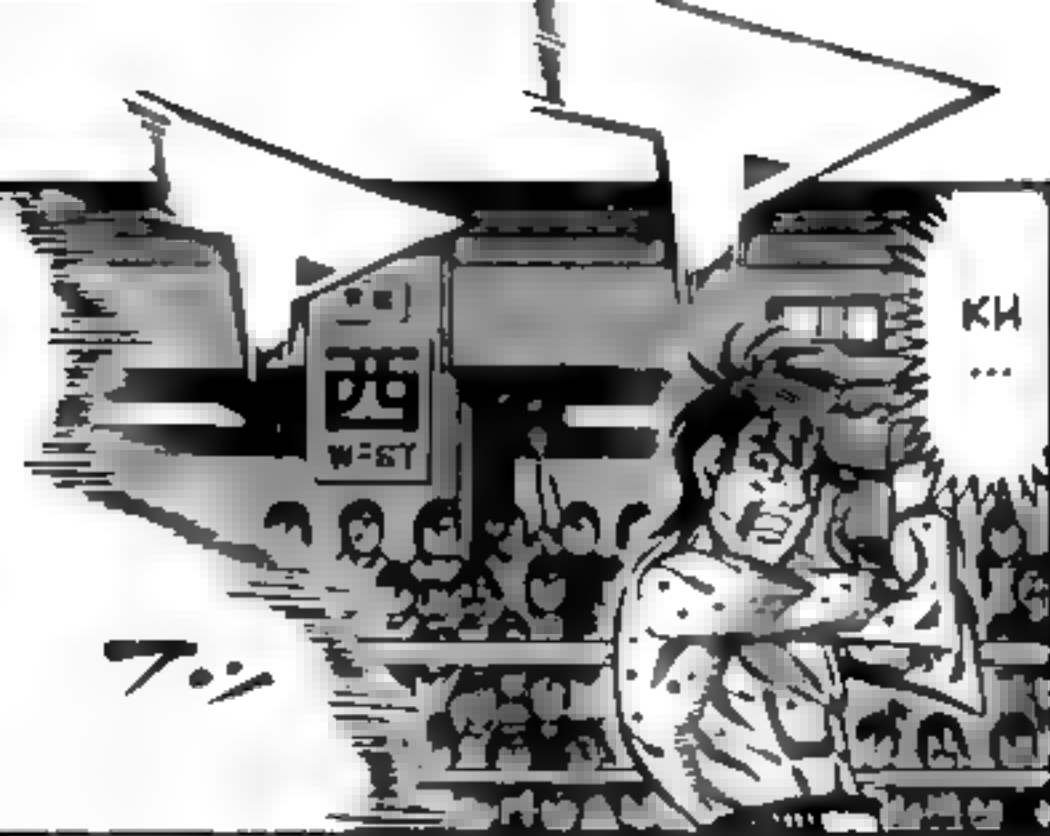


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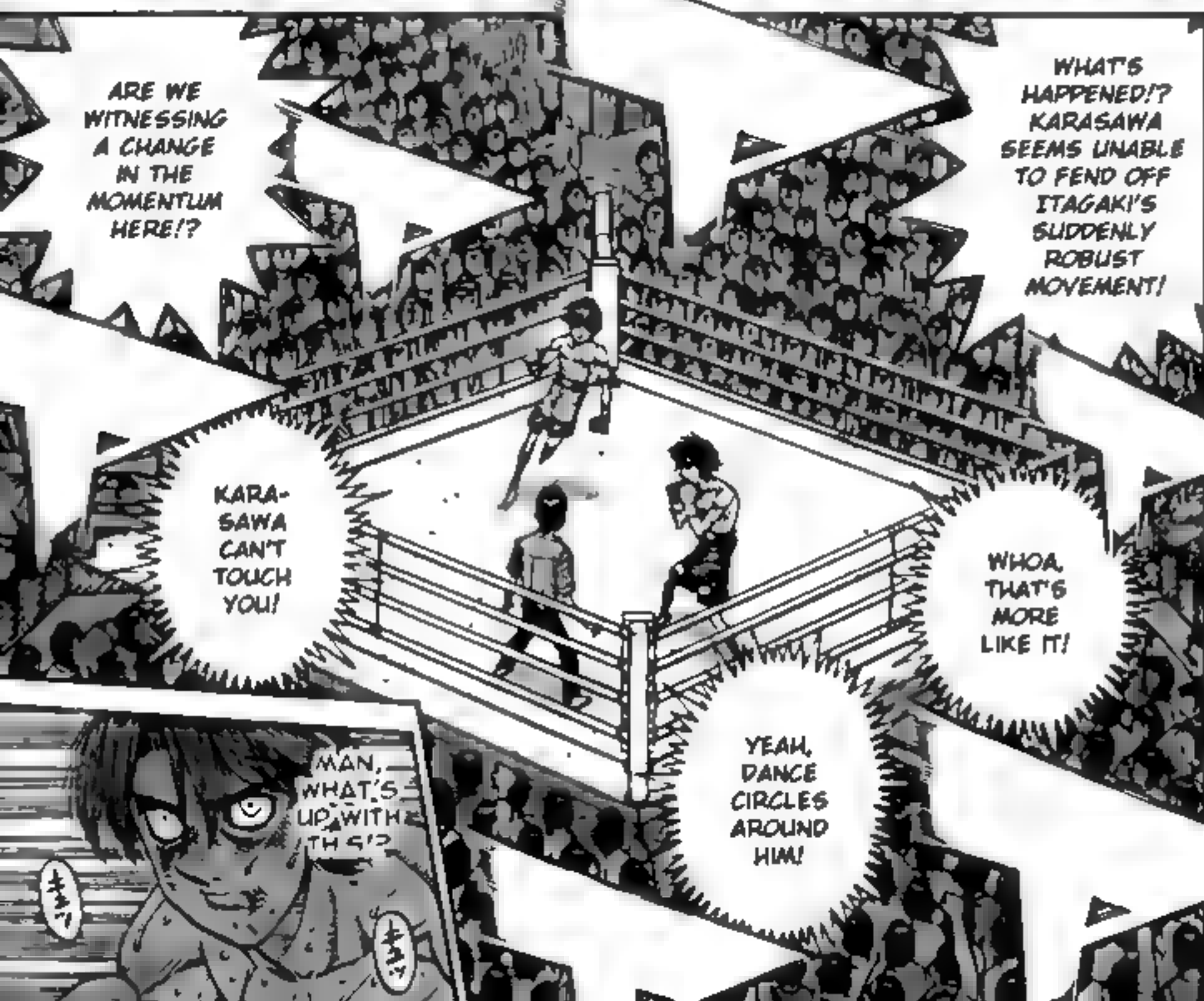




KH ...



NO USE!



ARE WE WITNESSING A CHANGE IN THE MOMENTUM HERE!?

WHAT'S HAPPENED!? KARASAWA SEEMS UNABLE TO FEND OFF ITAGAKI'S SUDDENLY ROBUST MOVEMENT!

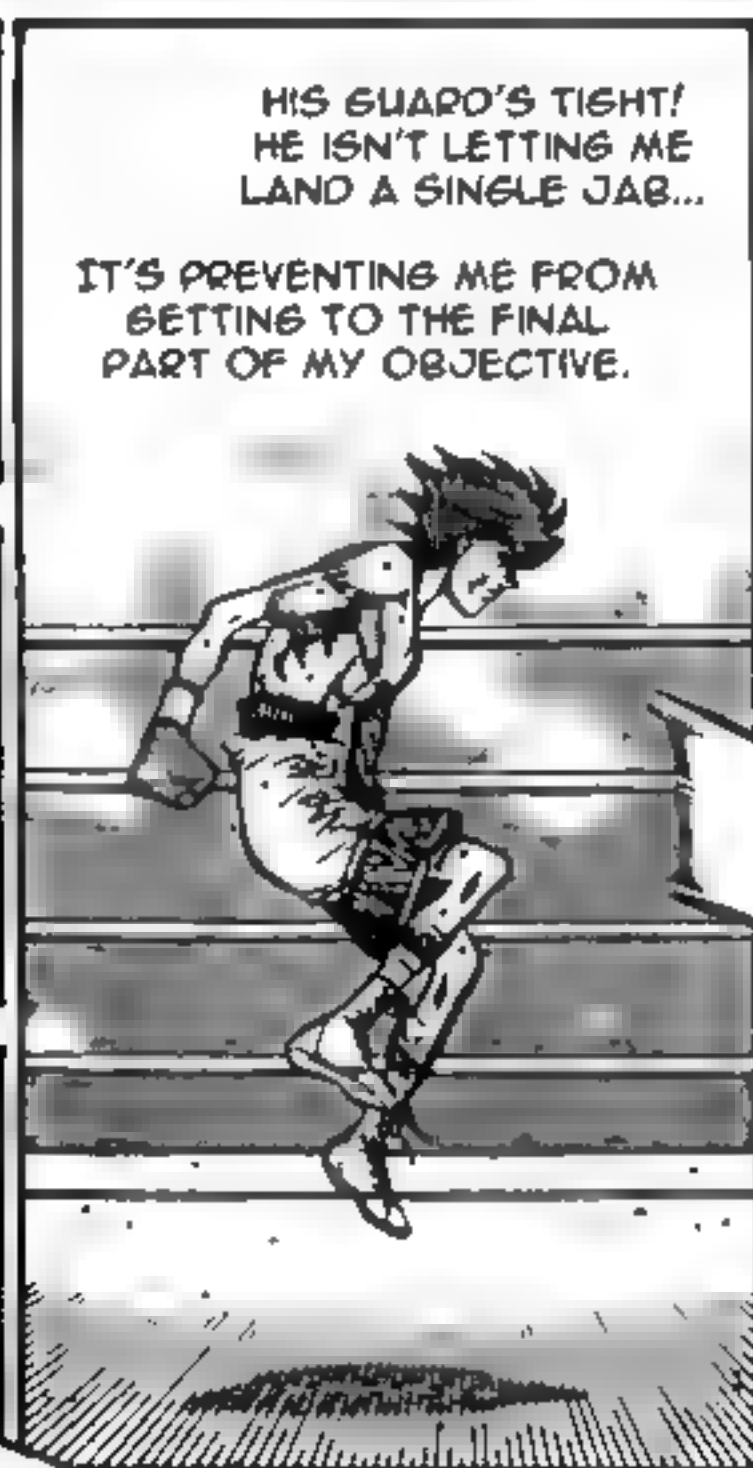
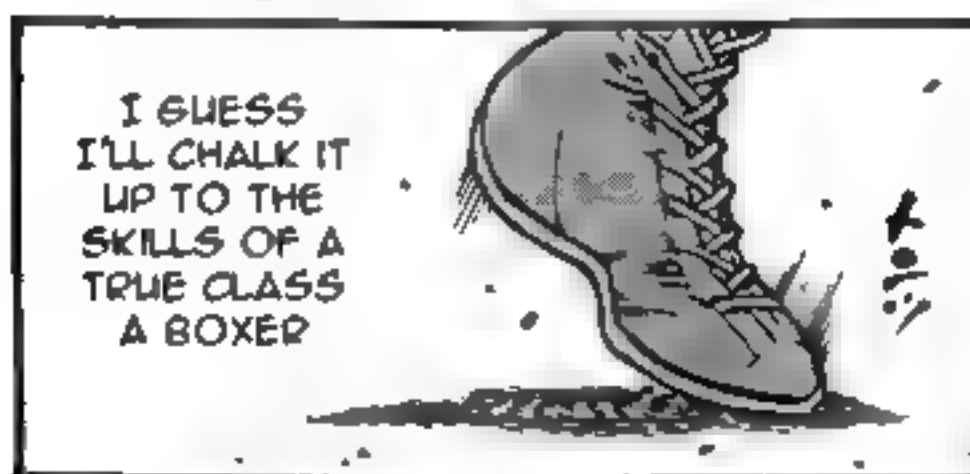
KARA-SAWA CAN'T TOUCH YOU!

WHOA, THAT'S MORE LIKE IT!

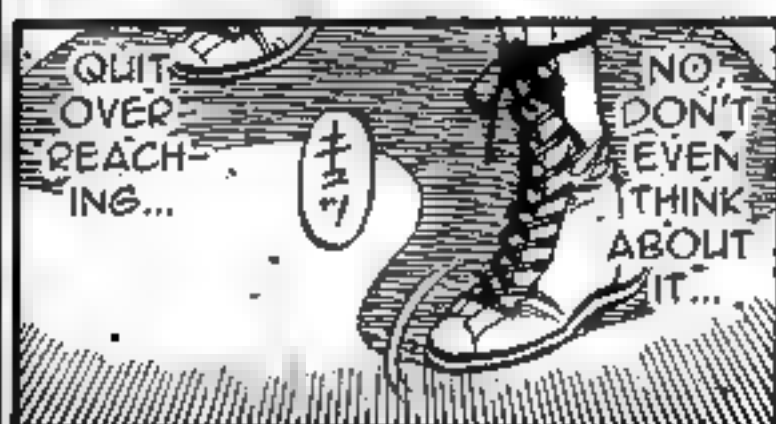
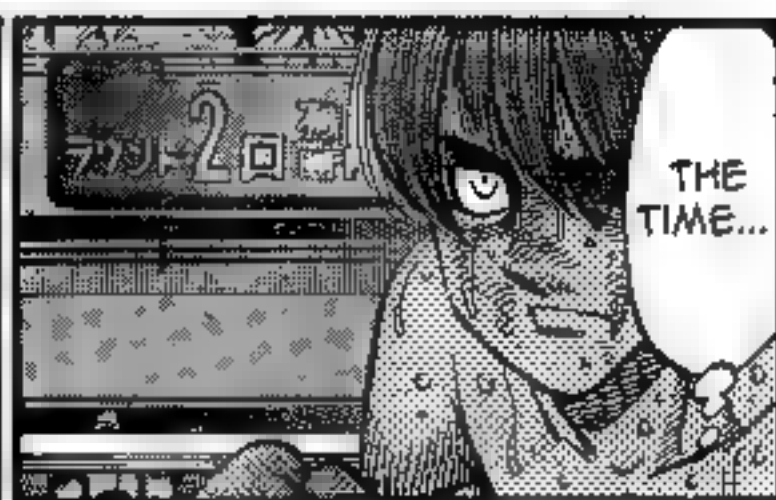
YEAH, DANCE CIRCLES AROUND HIM!

MAN, WHAT'S UP WITH THIS?

# THE ENDLESS ABYSS - FOR THE FANS, BY THE FANS!

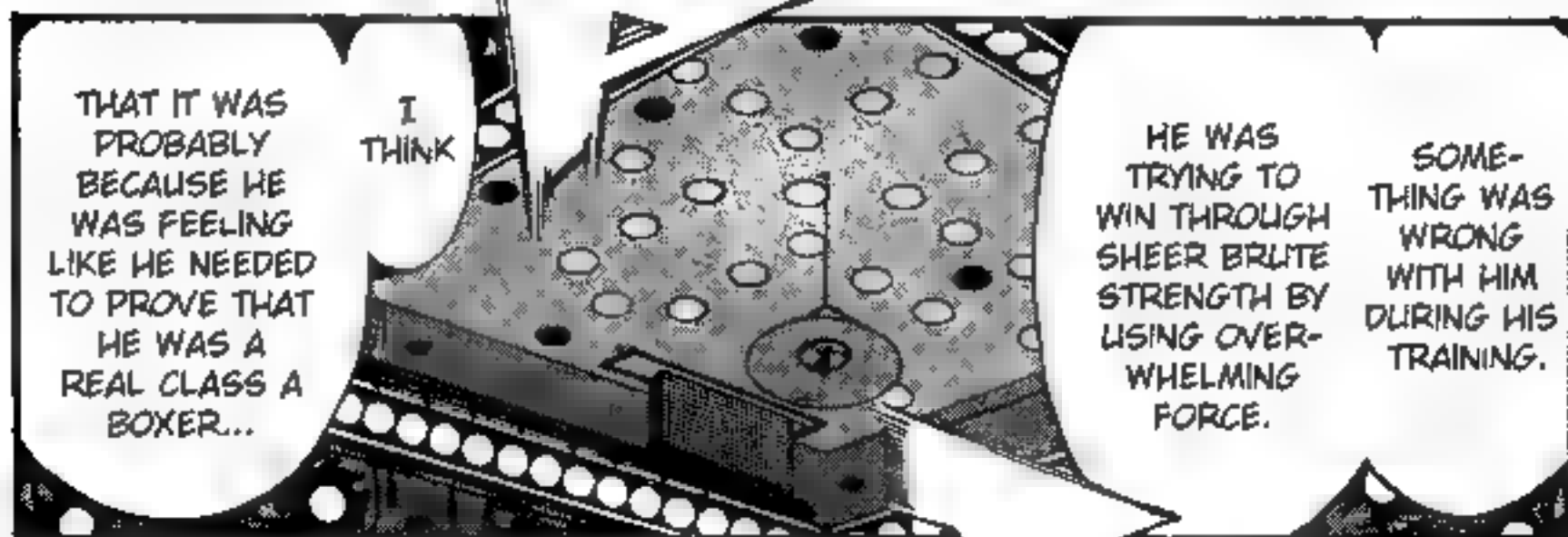


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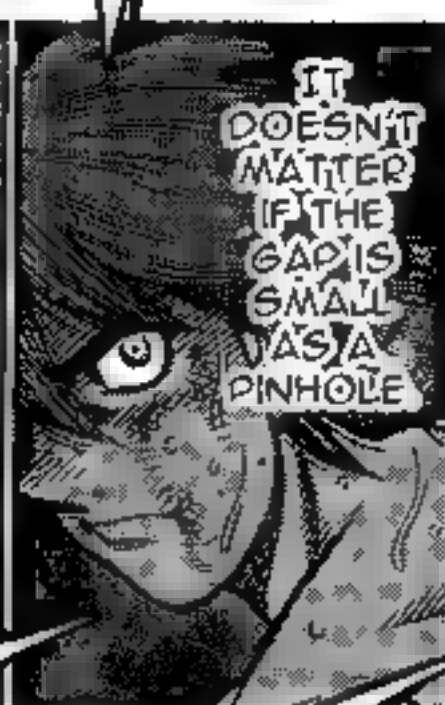
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LOOK  
CLOSELY,  
LOOK  
CLOSELY,  
LOOK  
CLOOO-  
OOSE...

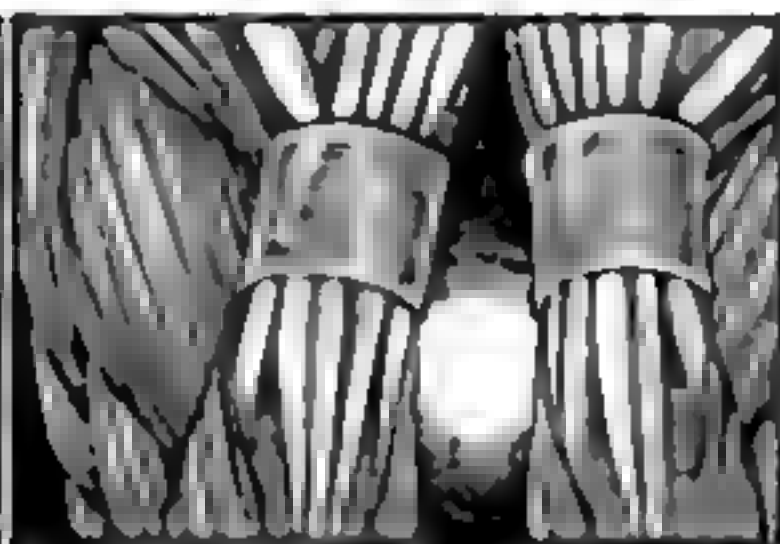
LOOK  
CLOSELY,  
GOTTA  
BE A GAP  
SOME-  
WHERE IN  
THERE...



I'LL  
MAKE  
SURE  
THAT IT  
GOES  
THRO-  
UGH...



IT  
DOESN'T  
MATTER  
IF THE  
GAP IS  
SMALL  
AS A  
PINHOLE





Round 909 Itagaki's Turn



NO SPACE FOR A GLOVE TO GO THROUGH!



HE'S TIGHTENING UP EVEN MORE!

CELEBRATING...  
IGNITION-ONE &  
ENDLESS ABYSS'  
TOOTH RELEASE!!

はじめる  
THE FIGHTING!



BE FINE

!?

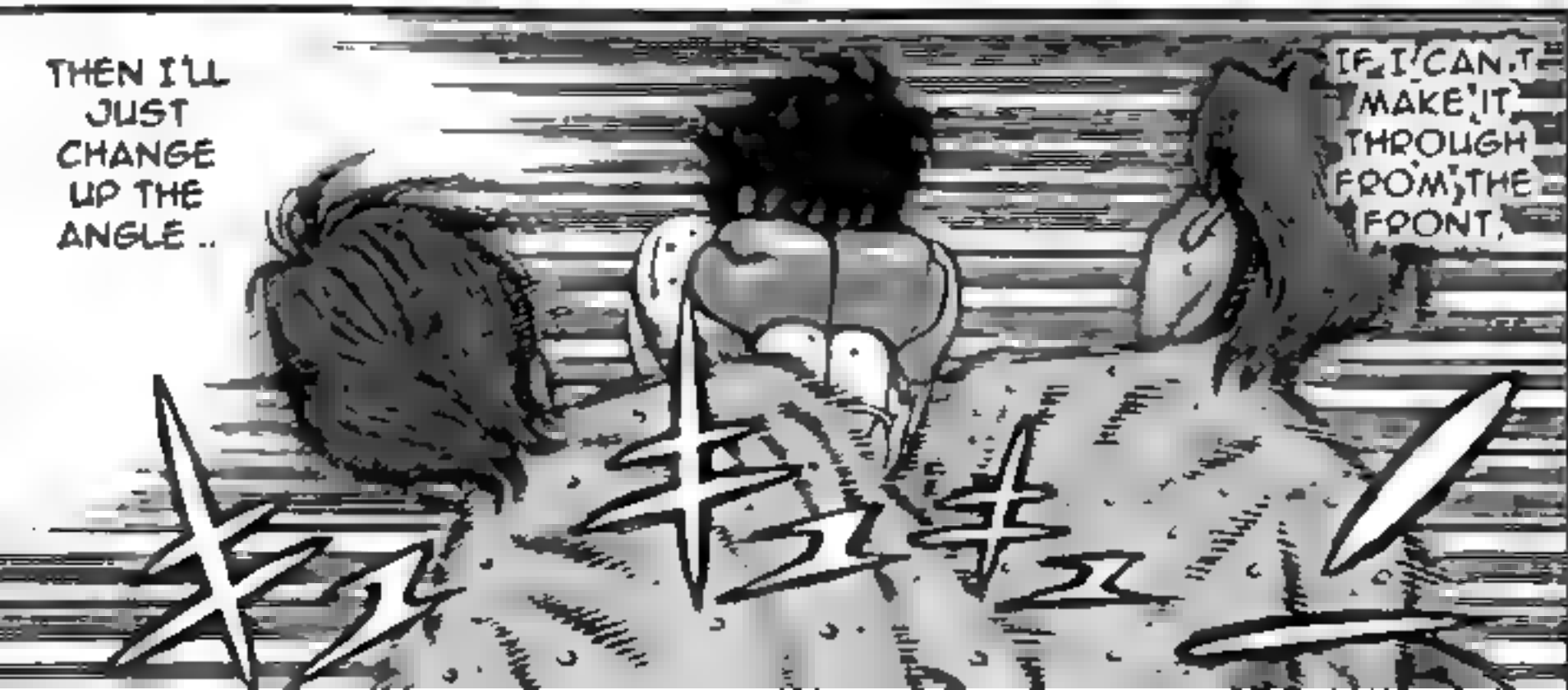
GIVEN THE FACT THAT HIS RIGHT HAND IS DAMAGED HE SHOULDN'T BE ABLE TO PIERCE HIS WAY THROUGH THAT KIND OF BLOCK AND YOU SHOULD

SHIELDING YOURSELF FROM THE FRONT WOULD BE THE MOST EFFECTIVE DEFENSE AGAINST THAT

THE MOST EFFECTIVE PUNCHES WILL BE COMING FROM A DIRECT ANGLE

THEN I'LL JUST CHANGE UP THE ANGLE..

IF I CAN'T MAKE IT THROUGH FROM THE FRONT,





YES, I GOT HIM!



**IGNITION-ONE**  
WWW.IGNITION-ONE.ORG

IN A JOINT VENTURE  
100 CHAPTERS STRONG  
AND STILL GOING!

**EMERSON**  
A. J. F. 2003



JUST  
FOCUS  
ON  
MAKING  
SOME  
SMALL  
GAINS!

NOW  
FOR  
TWO AND  
THEN  
THREE!



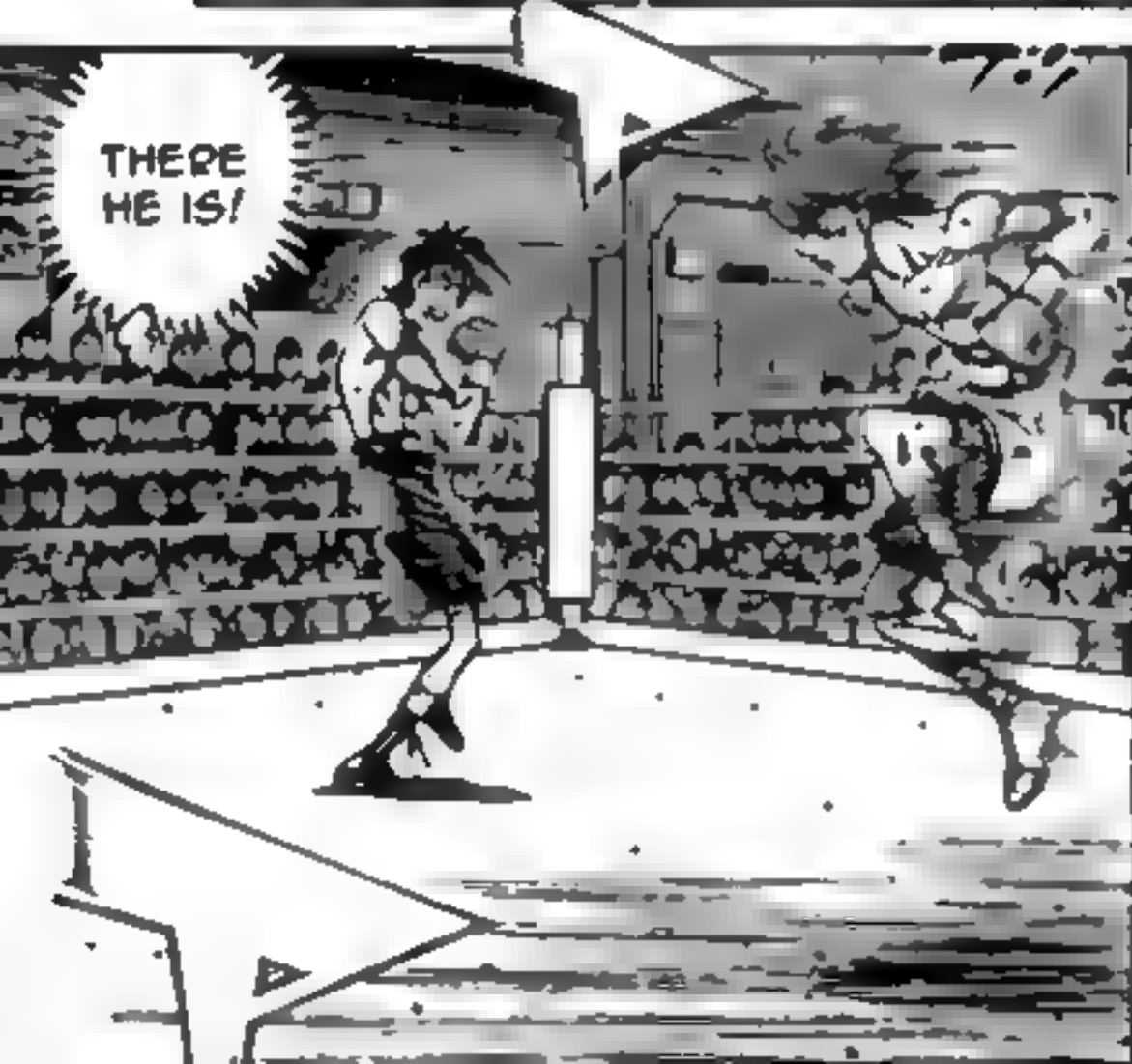
NEED TO  
MAKE MY  
GUARD  
STRONG

NEED  
TO HOLD  
MY ARMS  
TOGETHER  
TIGHTER



...

...



THERE  
HE IS!



-ER



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HM

HE DROPPED HIS GUARD AFTER A FEW HITS.



AND HE WAS STILL ABLE TO PUNCH VERY ACCURATELY IN SPITE OF THROWING THEM WITHIN A FRACTION OF A SECOND.



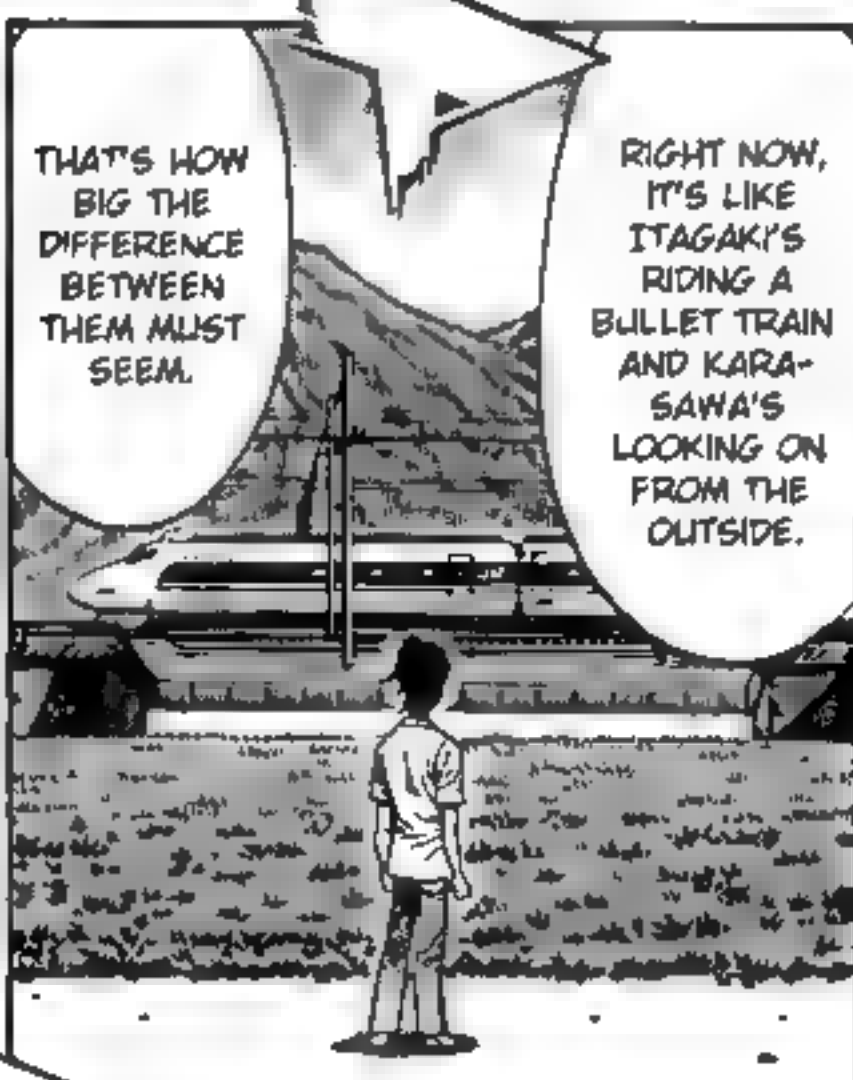
THEIR IMPACT WAS LARGE ENOUGH TO CAUSE HIS GUARD TO LOSE ITS STABILITY

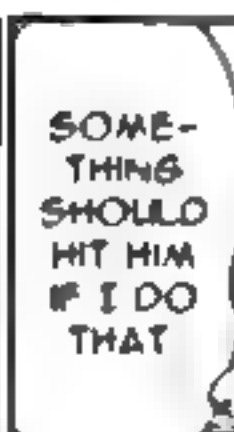
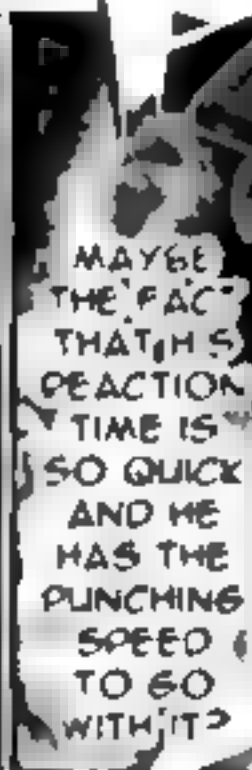
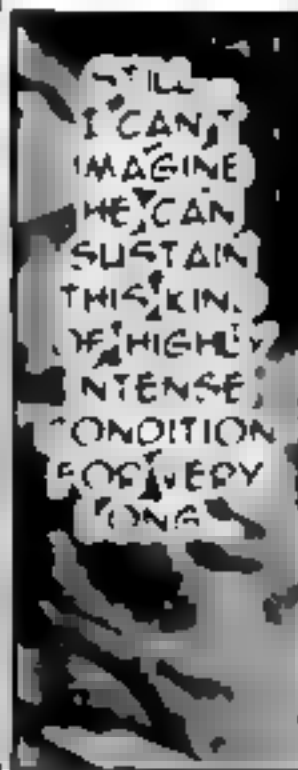
RAPID FIRE LEFT JABS ...



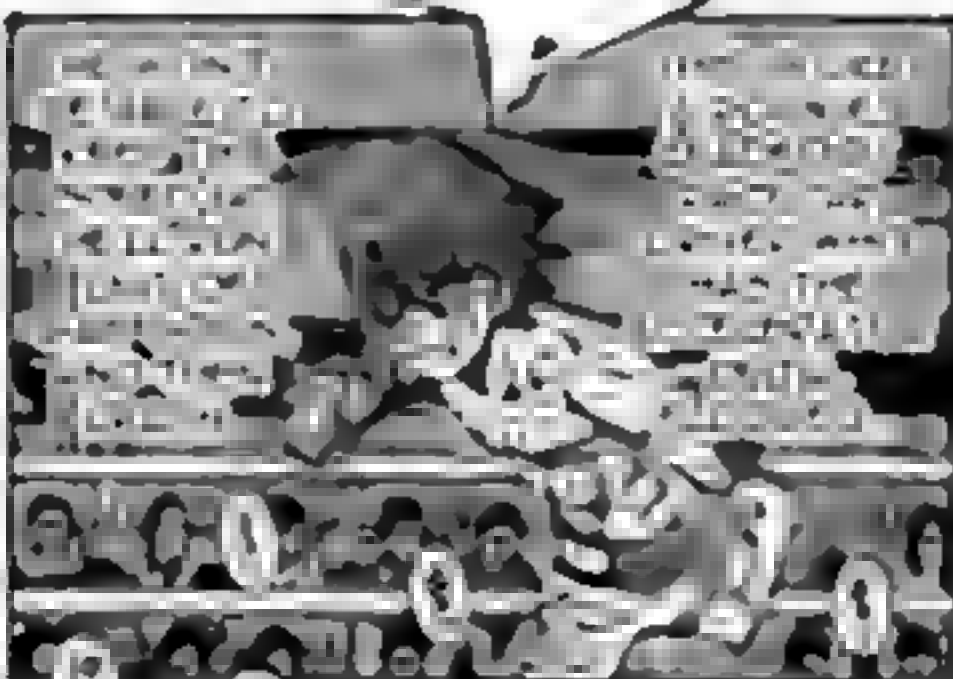
THAT'S HOW BIG THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THEM MUST SEEM.

RIGHT NOW, IT'S LIKE ITAGAKI'S RIDING A BULLET TRAIN AND KARA-SAWA'S LOOKING ON FROM THE OUTSIDE.











I CAN  
KEEP  
UP WITH  
YOU!

I'M  
KNOWN  
FOR MY  
SPEED  
TOO,  
Y'KNOW!



I'LL  
CATCH  
UP TO  
YOU!

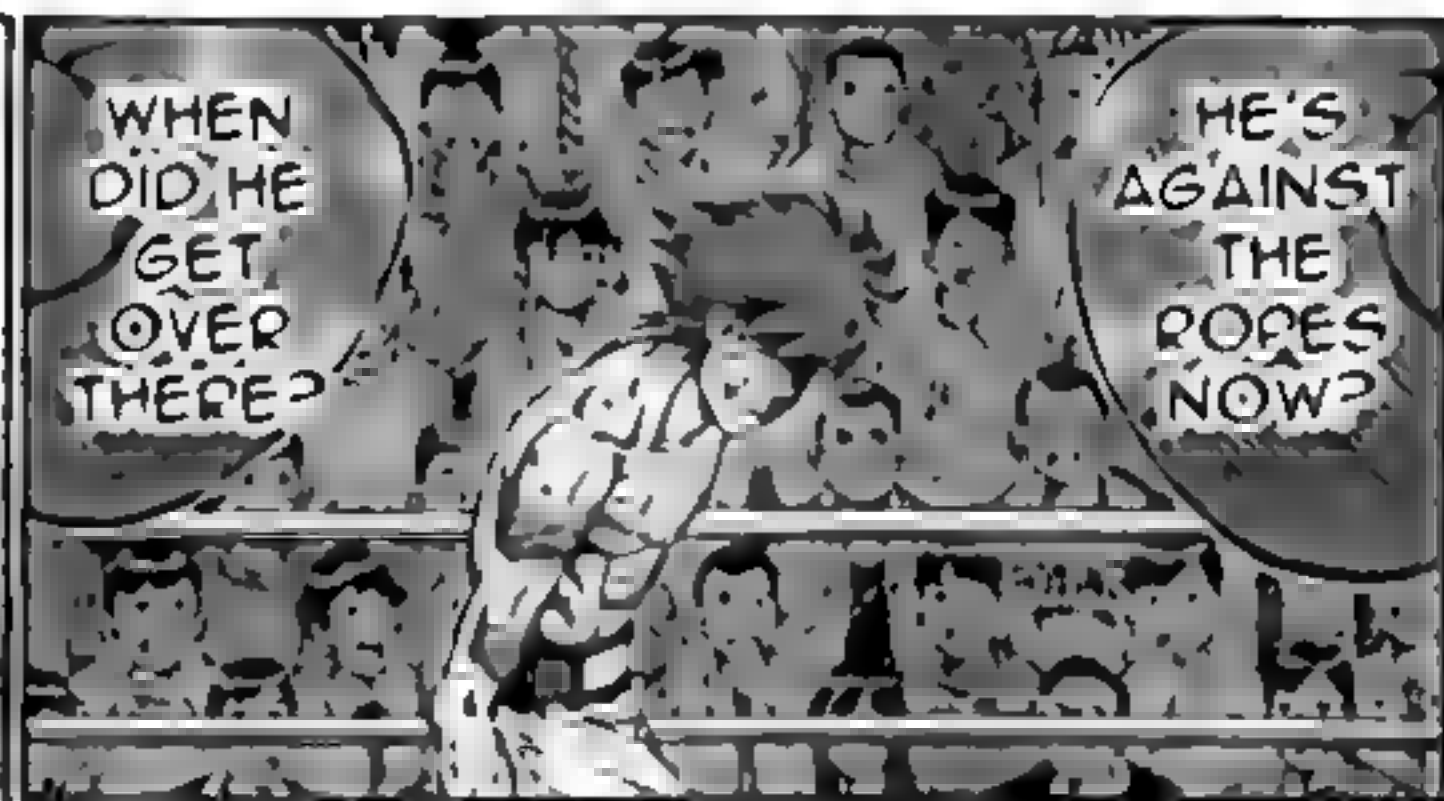
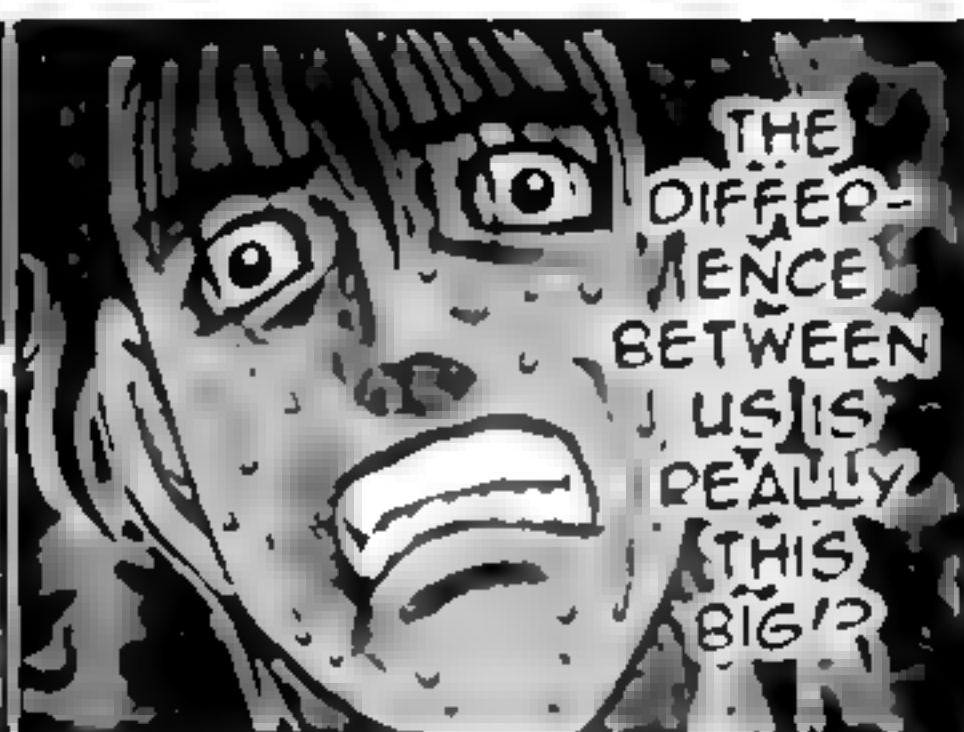
HANG  
ON

HE'S  
STILL  
GOING  
FASTER!  
12

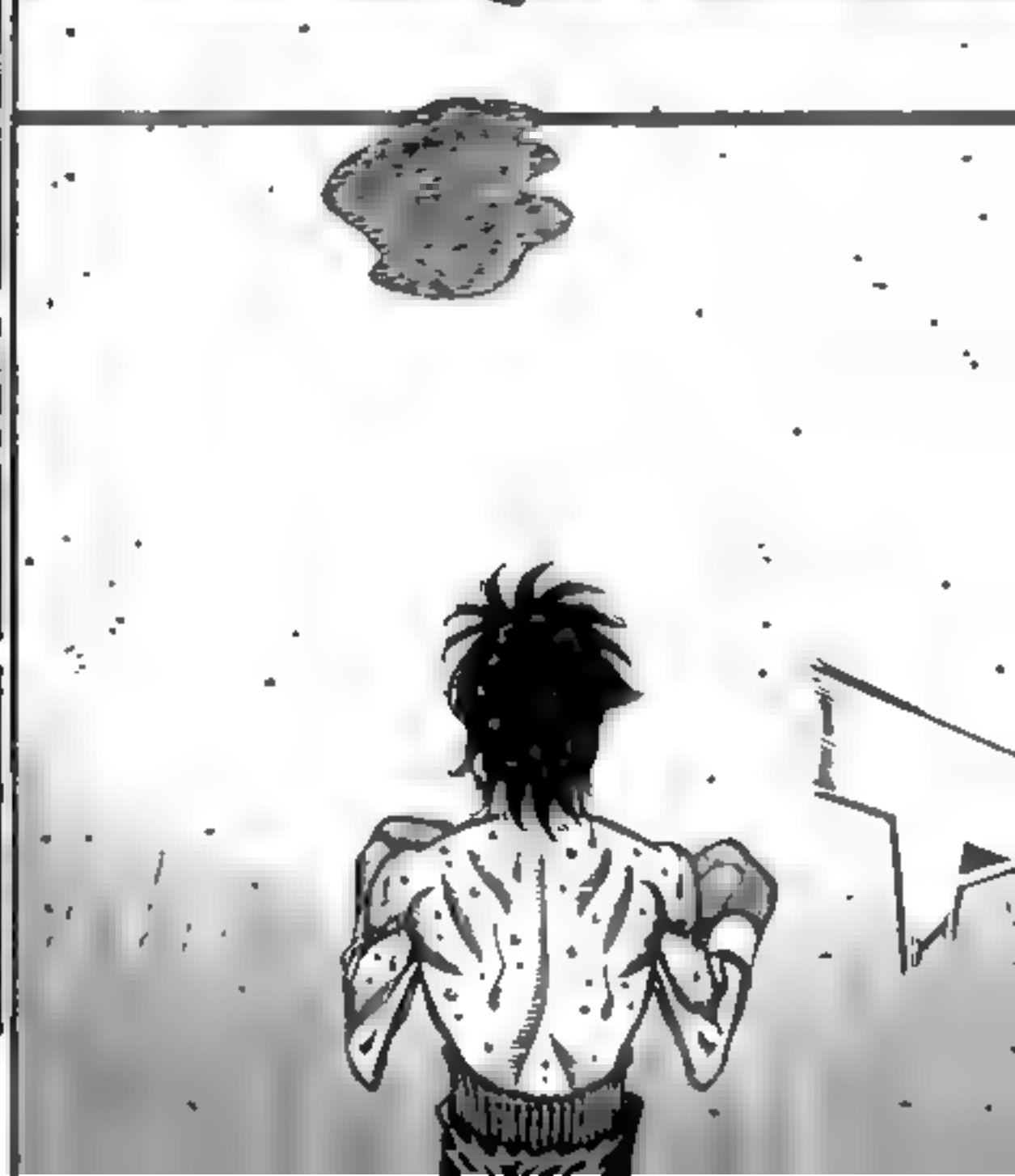
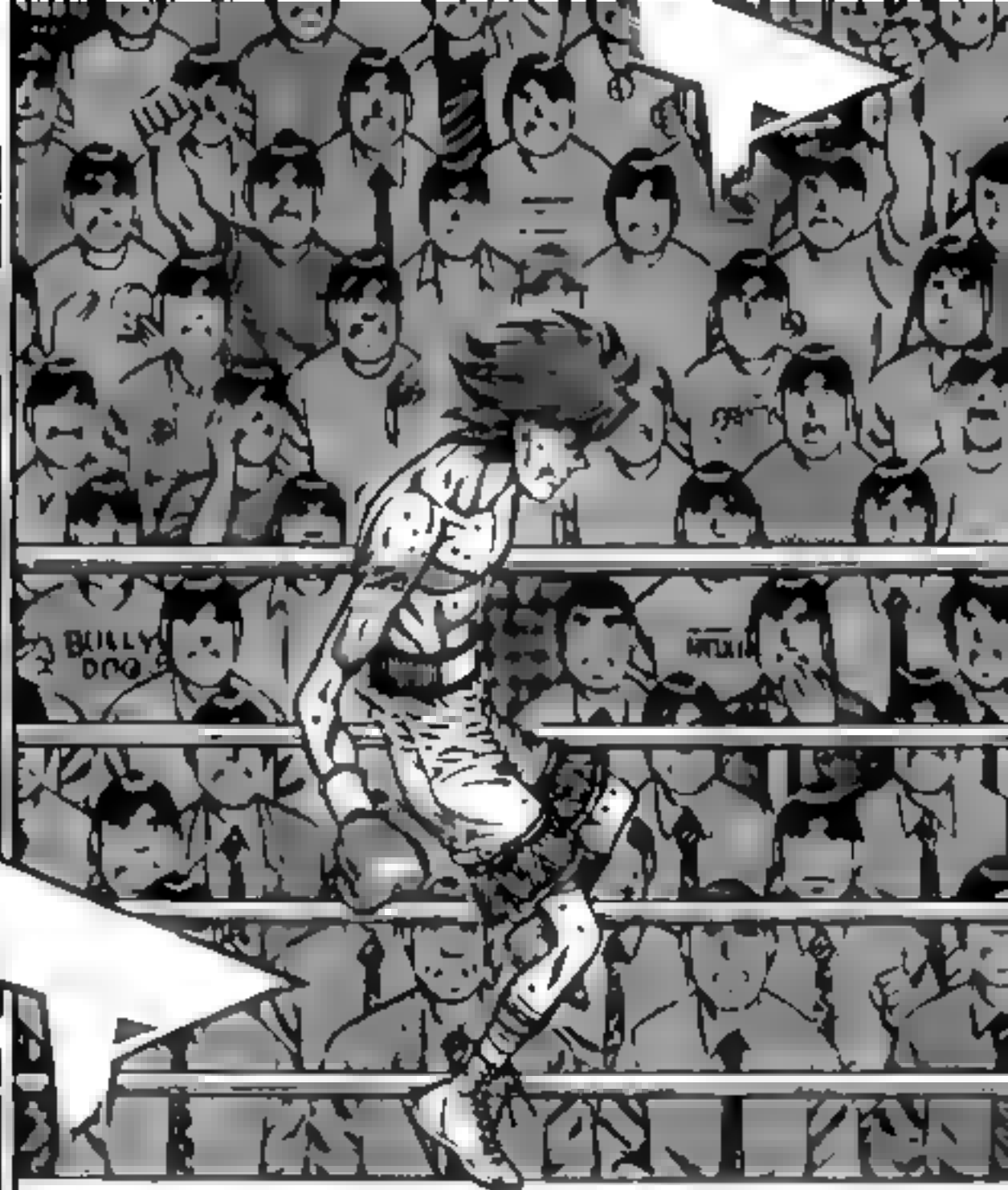


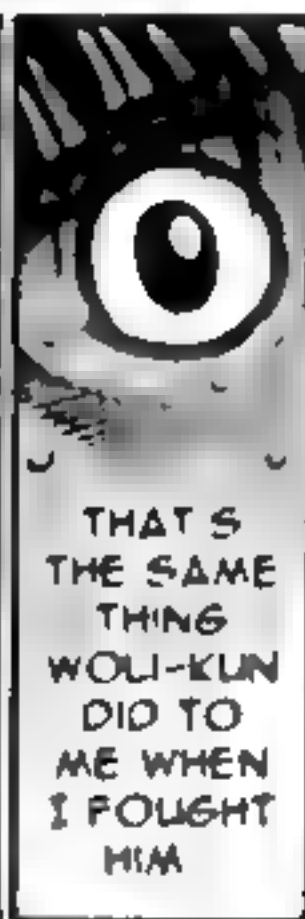
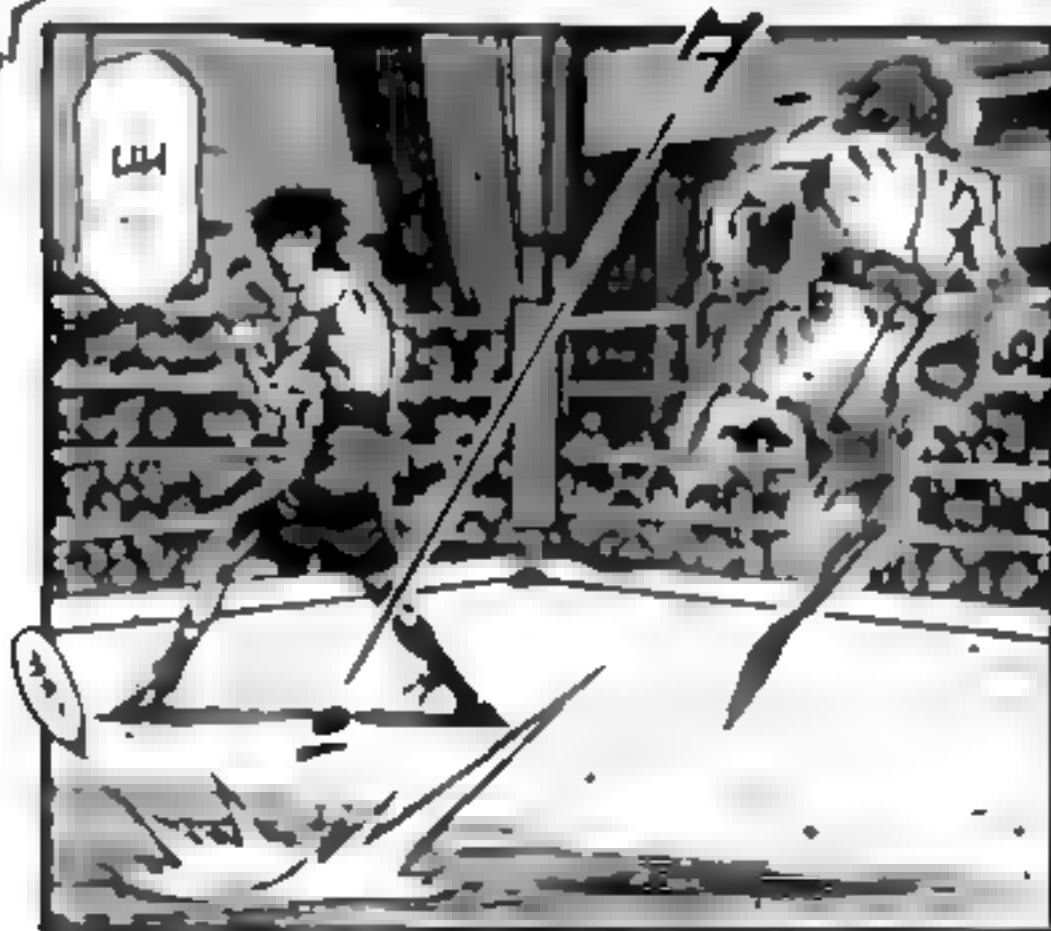
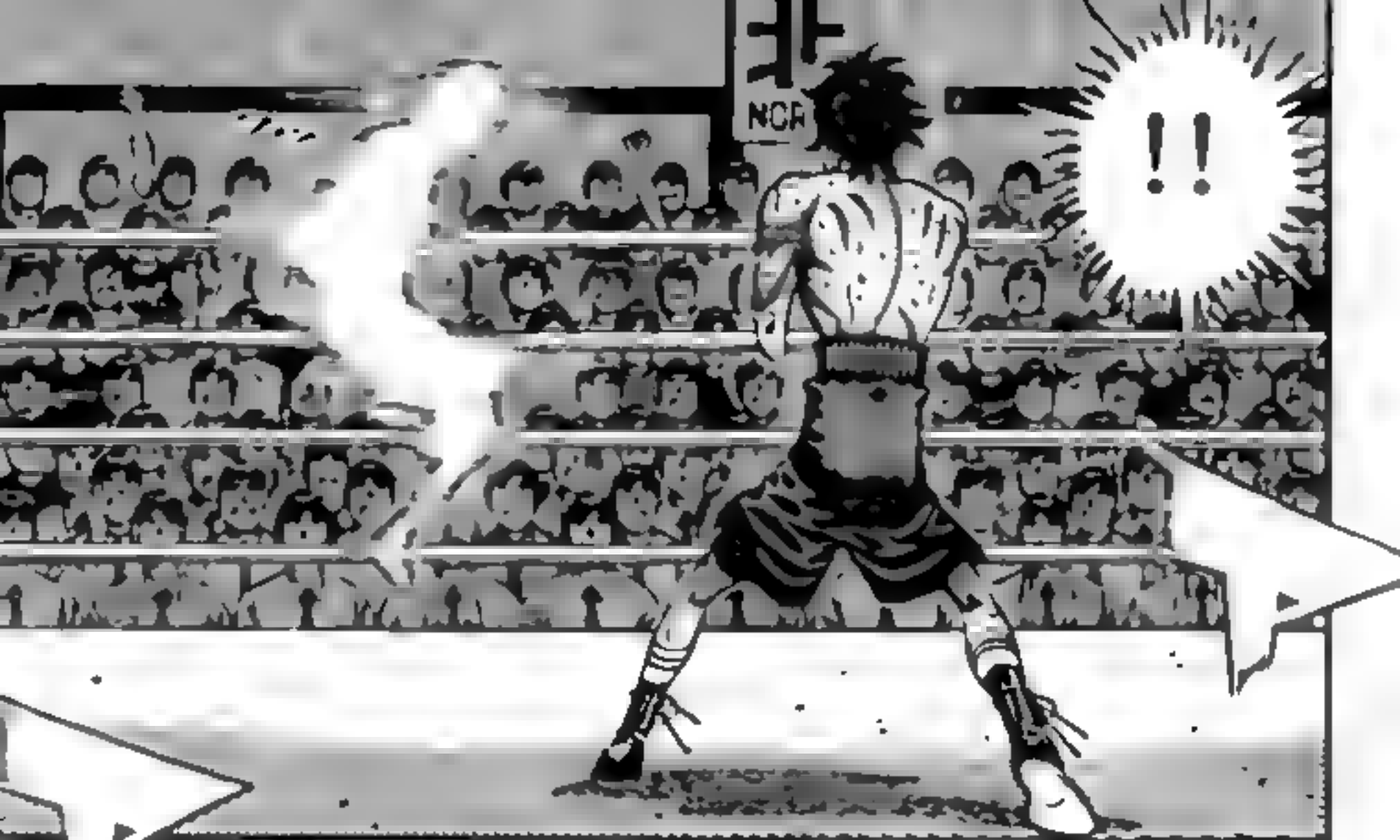
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W-

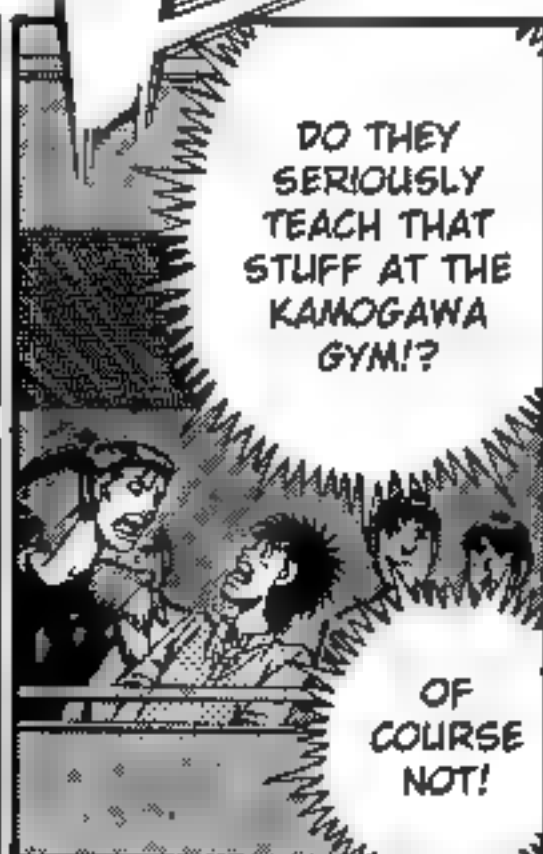








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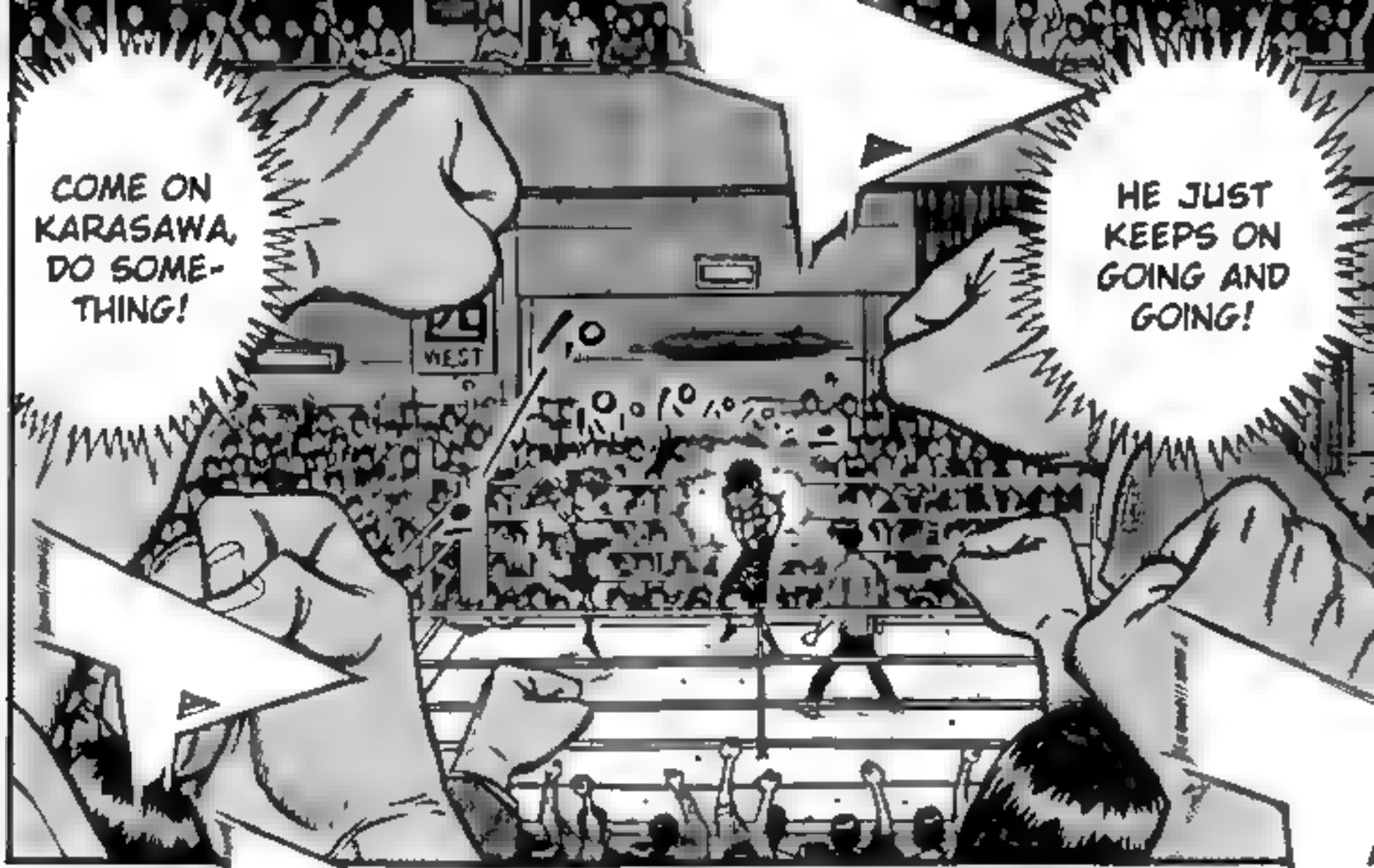


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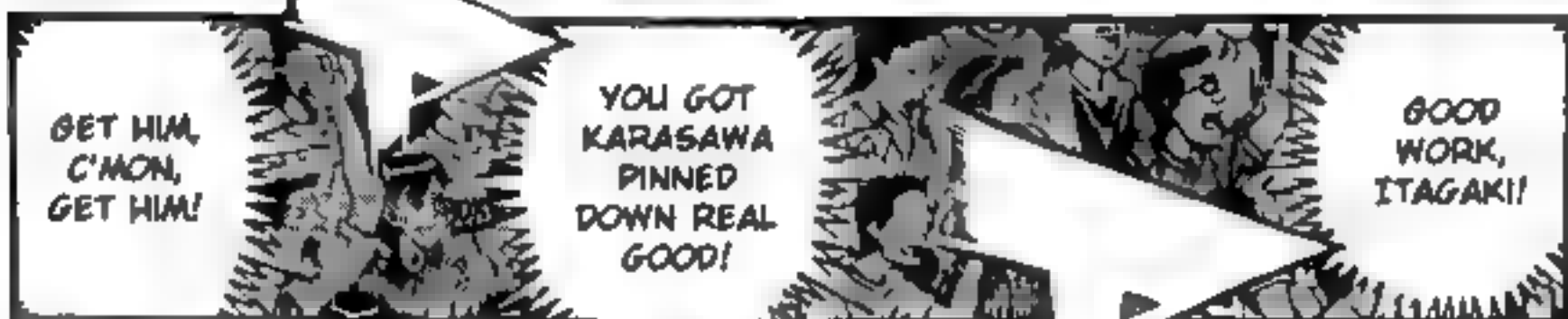






COME ON  
KARASAWA,  
DO SOME-  
THING!

HE JUST  
KEEPS ON  
GOING AND  
GOING!



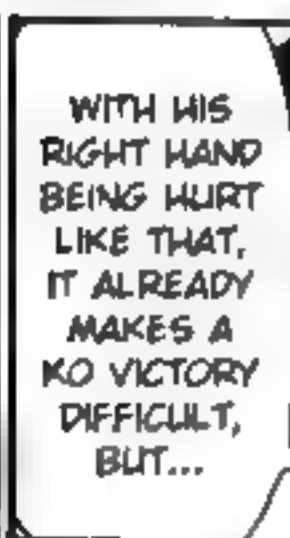
GET HIM,  
C'MON,  
GET HIM!

YOU GOT  
KARASAWA  
PINNED  
DOWN REAL  
GOOD!

GOOD  
WORK,  
ITAGAKI!



IF THIS  
KEEPS UP  
FOR TOO  
LONG...



WITH HIS  
RIGHT HAND  
BEING HURT  
LIKE THAT,  
IT ALREADY  
MAKES A  
KO VICTORY  
DIFFICULT,  
BUT...



HE'S  
CLEARLY  
GOING  
FASTER  
THAN  
WOULD  
NORMALLY  
BE AD-  
VISABLE.



M-HE  
MIGHT BE  
GETTING  
CARRIED  
AWAY...

HUH  
?

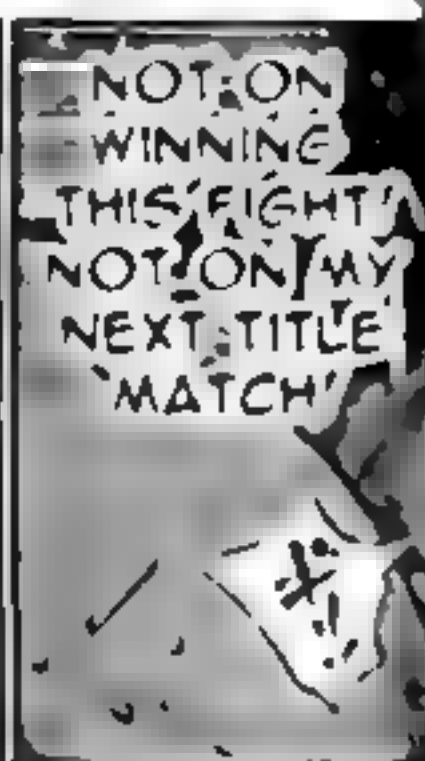


HE'S  
GOING TO  
STALL!

THANK YOU FOR ALL OF YOUR SUPPORT AND TO EVERYONE HAS HELPED MAKE THIS JOINT A SUCCESS!  
RENA-CHAN, BEARKING, MAB, JBONDSR, HEIJI-SAMA, SORNAH, GROSPERINA & HIS WIFE SHADESOFBLUE,  
KENSHI, FLESHOUT, IRIE, ENTEZ, LONG525, ESTRAGON BTX, ONIMARU PLAR, THE IGNITION-ONE & ENDLESS  
ABYSS STAFF, WITH HELP FROM THE RITUAL SCAN FORGE, THE DYNAMITE GLOVE COMMUNITY AND YOU!!







ITAGAKI'S  
OFFENSIVE  
FINALLY  
COMES TO  
AN END!

HE'S  
STOPPED  
ATTACK-  
ING...

IGNITION-ONE AND ENDLESS  
ABYSS PROUDLY PRESENT...

はじまりの戦  
THE FIGHTING!

THE  
WAR  
OF  
ATTRI-  
TION!

KARA-  
SAWA  
WINS ..

HIS FOCUS  
AND HIS  
STAMINA  
ARE BOTH  
AT THEIR  
LIMITS.

SEE,  
THIS IS  
EXACTLY  
WHAT I  
WAS  
TALKING  
ABOUT!

LOOKS  
LIKE IT'S  
MY TURN  
NOW.

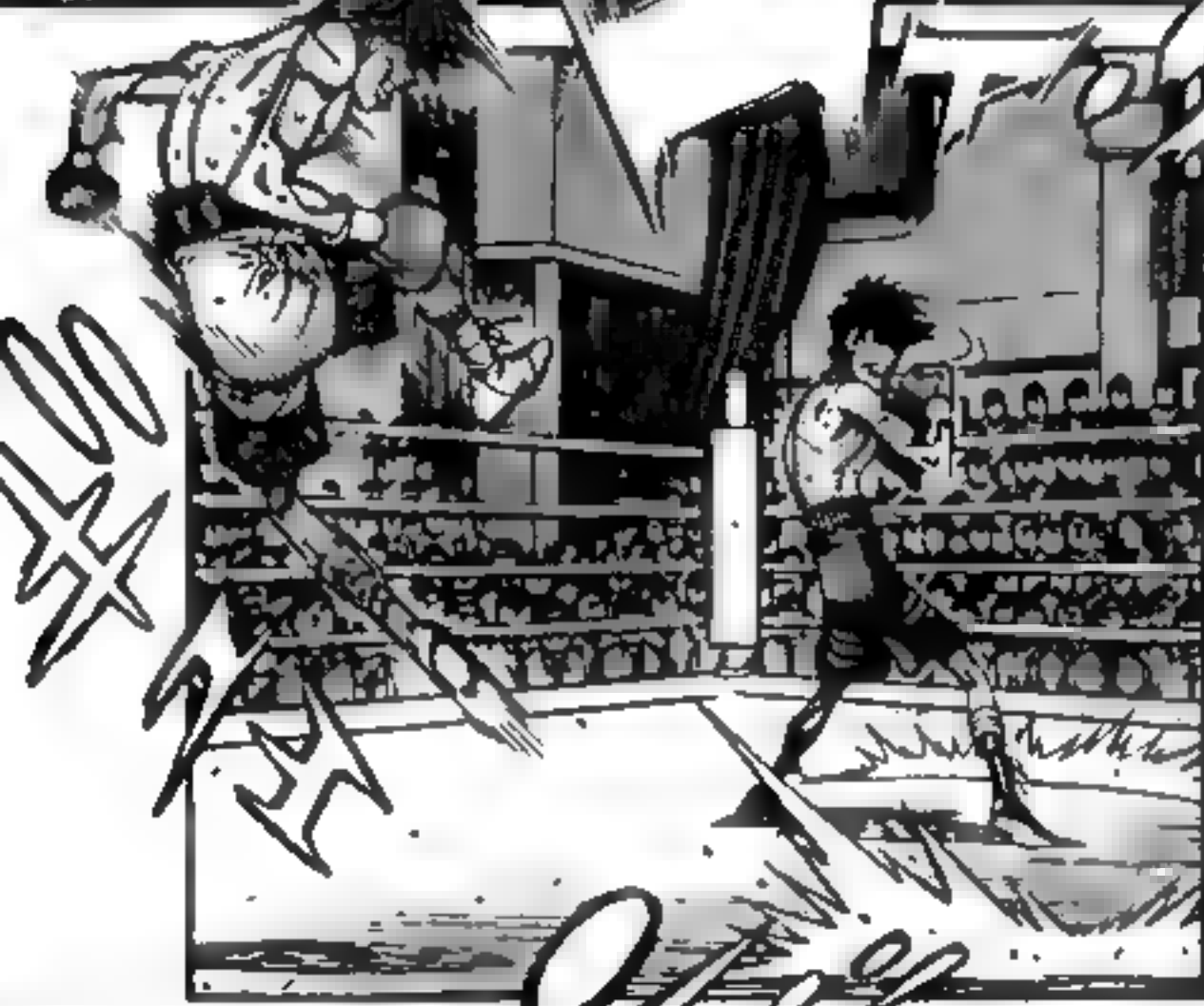
HEH  
...

SCANNER RENA  
CLEANER. MAB  
OVERLAYS LONG525 (WHO DID 908 TOO')

QC GROSPY & SORWAH  
HAWKEYE: ONIMARU  
MOCKINGBIRD PUAR









RIGHT, SENPAI!

CAN'T LET THIS END JUST YET...



THAT MAKING PROGRESS BY TAKING IT ONE STEP AT A TIME COULD BE SO FUN

I NEVER REALIZED DOING SOMETHING SO SIMPLE COULD BE SO FUN



LEFT, LEFT, LEFT, LEFT, LEFT, LEFT!



KEEP YOUR GUARD UP!



WHAT THE HELL KIND OF TRAINING DID YOU HAVE HIM DO!?

HE HASN'T TIRED OUT YET!?



YAAA HOOO OOO!



ONCE THIS ATTACK IS OVER WITH...

HE DOESN'T REALIZE IT YET.

THAT ISN'T IT! HE'S EXHAUSTED, IT'S JUST THAT..





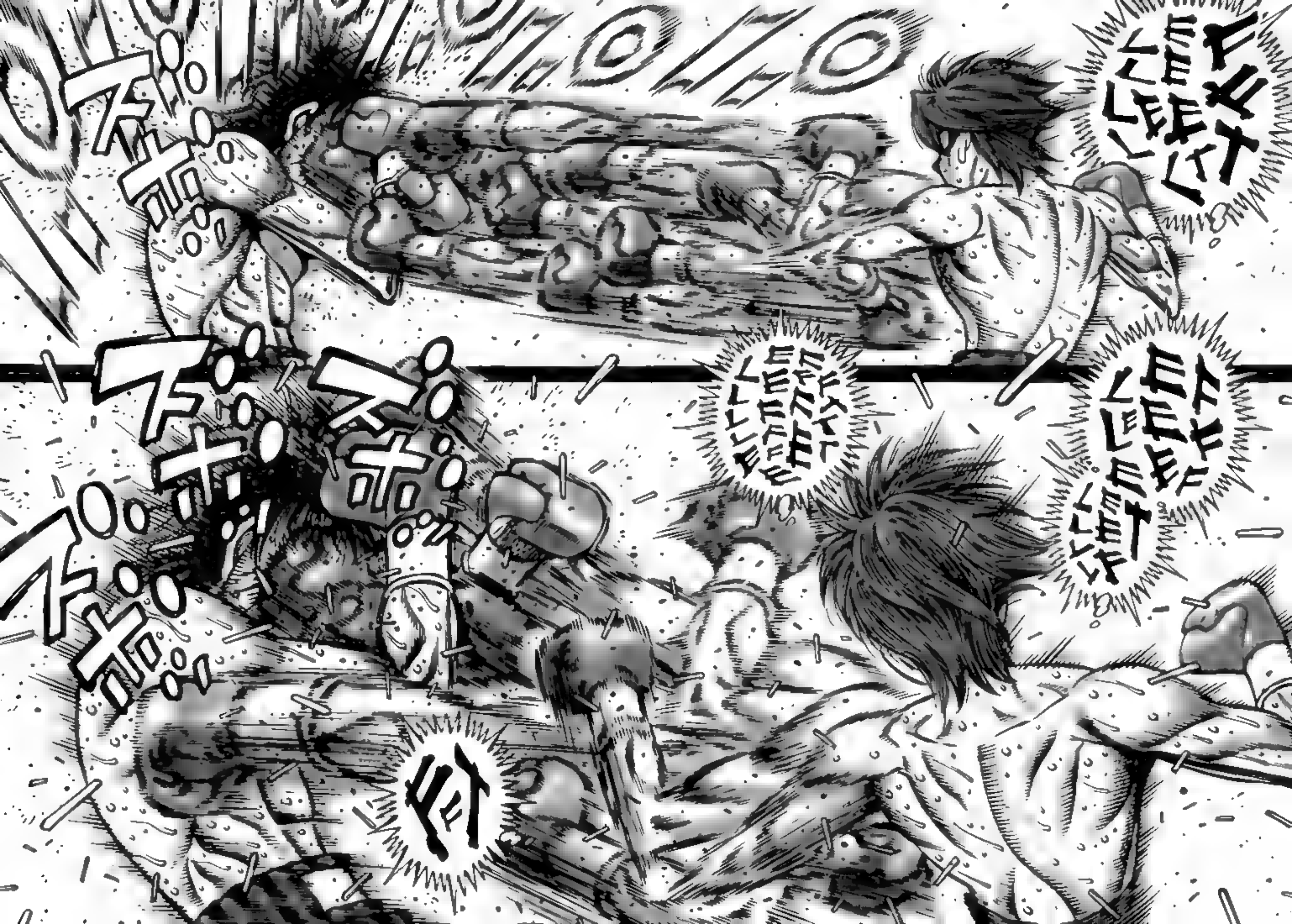
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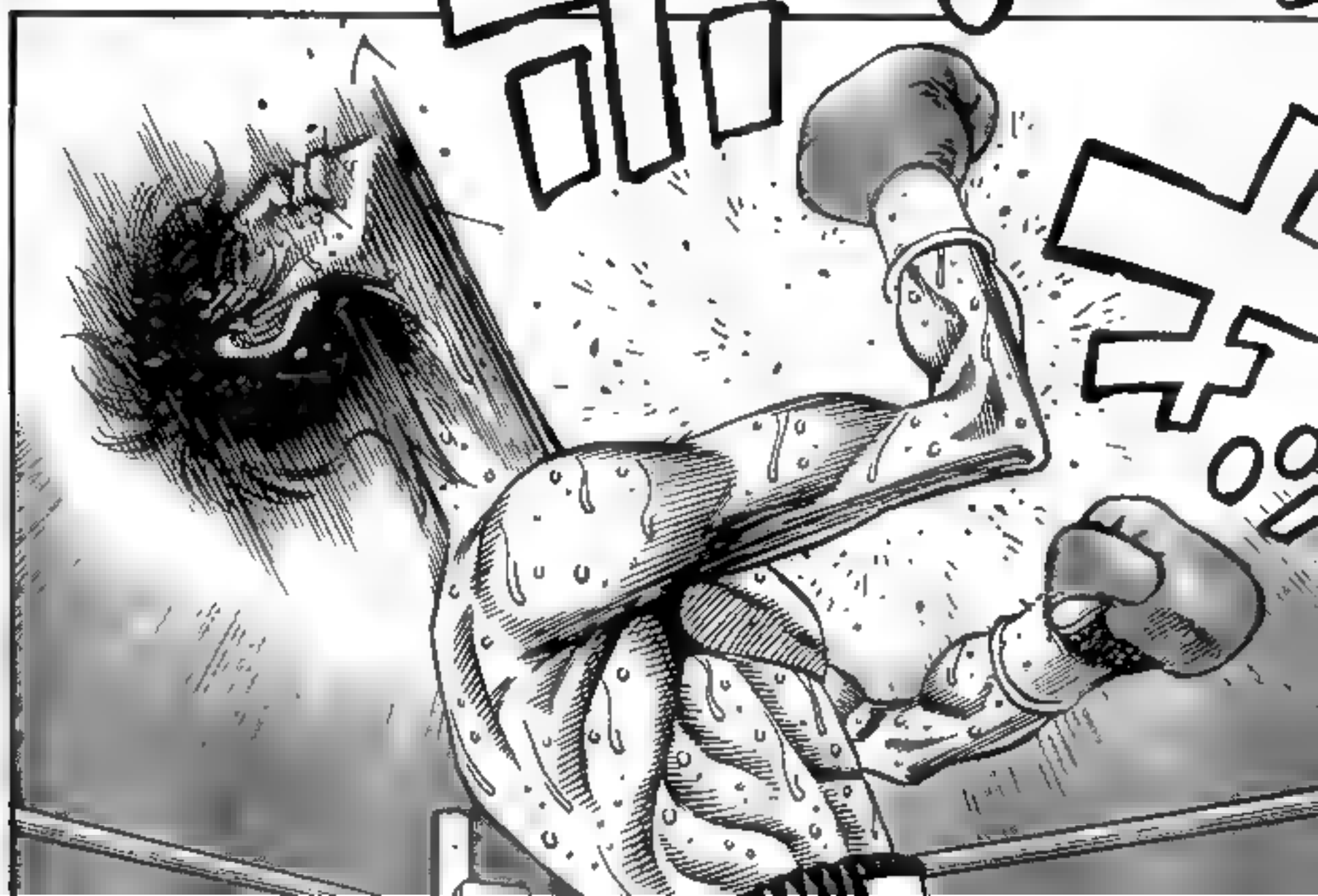
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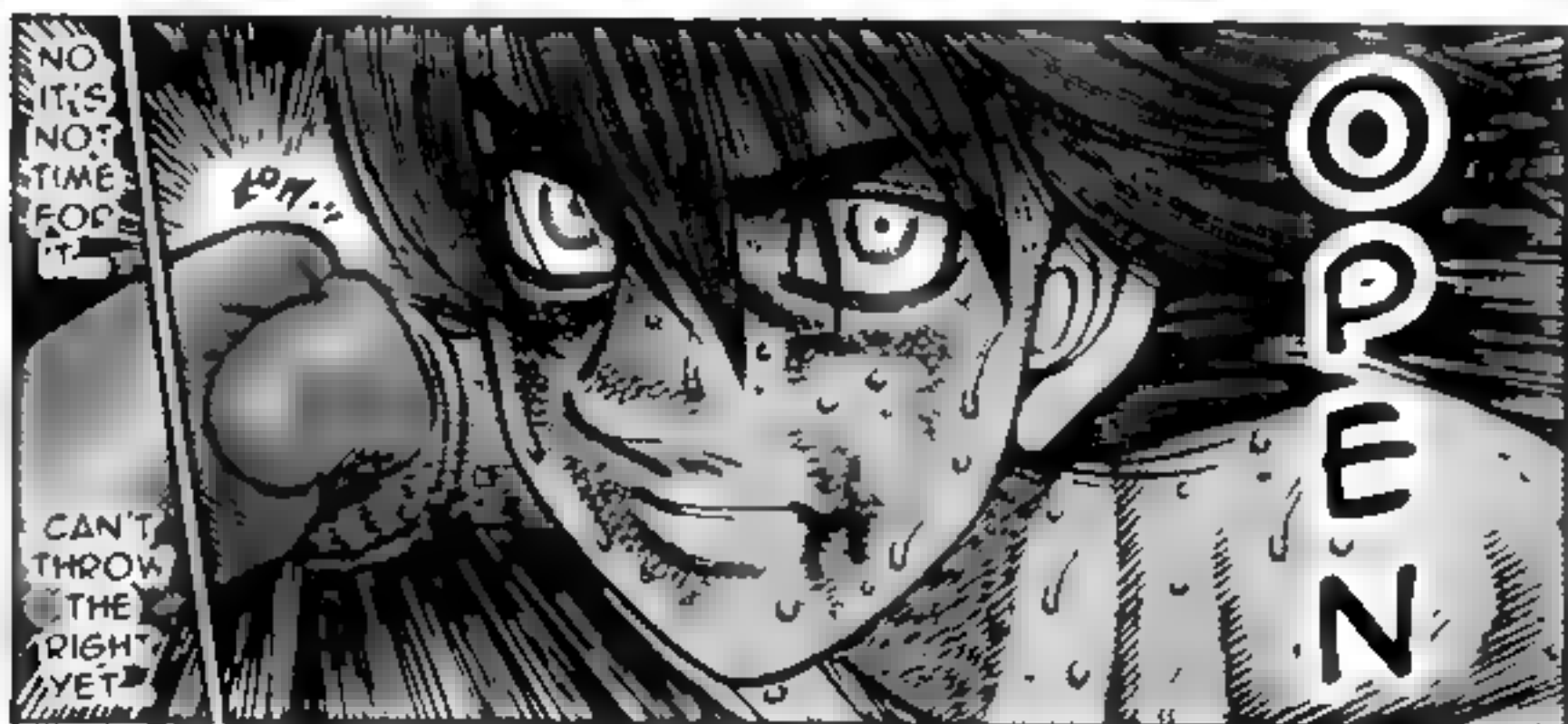








HIS  
FACE  
IS...



NO  
IT'S  
NOT  
TIME  
FOR  
IT

CAN'T  
THROW  
THE  
RIGHT  
YET

O  
P  
E  
N







I'M  
BEGGING  
YOU!



THIS  
IS IT!









BUT  
EITHER  
WAY...

WELL,  
IT'S NOT  
WHAT I  
PLANNED  
ON...

IT'S A  
COME-  
BACK  
KO!

AND THE  
NATURAL,  
ITAGAKI  
MANABU  
HAS CLEARED  
THE FIRST  
ROUND OF  
THE TOURNA-  
MENT!!

WHOO  
HOO!

REMEMBERING THE VALUE OF HARD WORK,  
ITAGAKI SCORES AN EXPLOSIVE VICTORY!

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CLEANER: MAB  
OVERLAYS: IRIE

QUALITY: GOSPY & SORWAN  
JASON VOORHEES: ONIMARU  
MICHAEL MEYERS: PLAR



**IGNITION-ONE**  
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PRESENTS  
IN A JOINT  
VENTURE  
WITH...

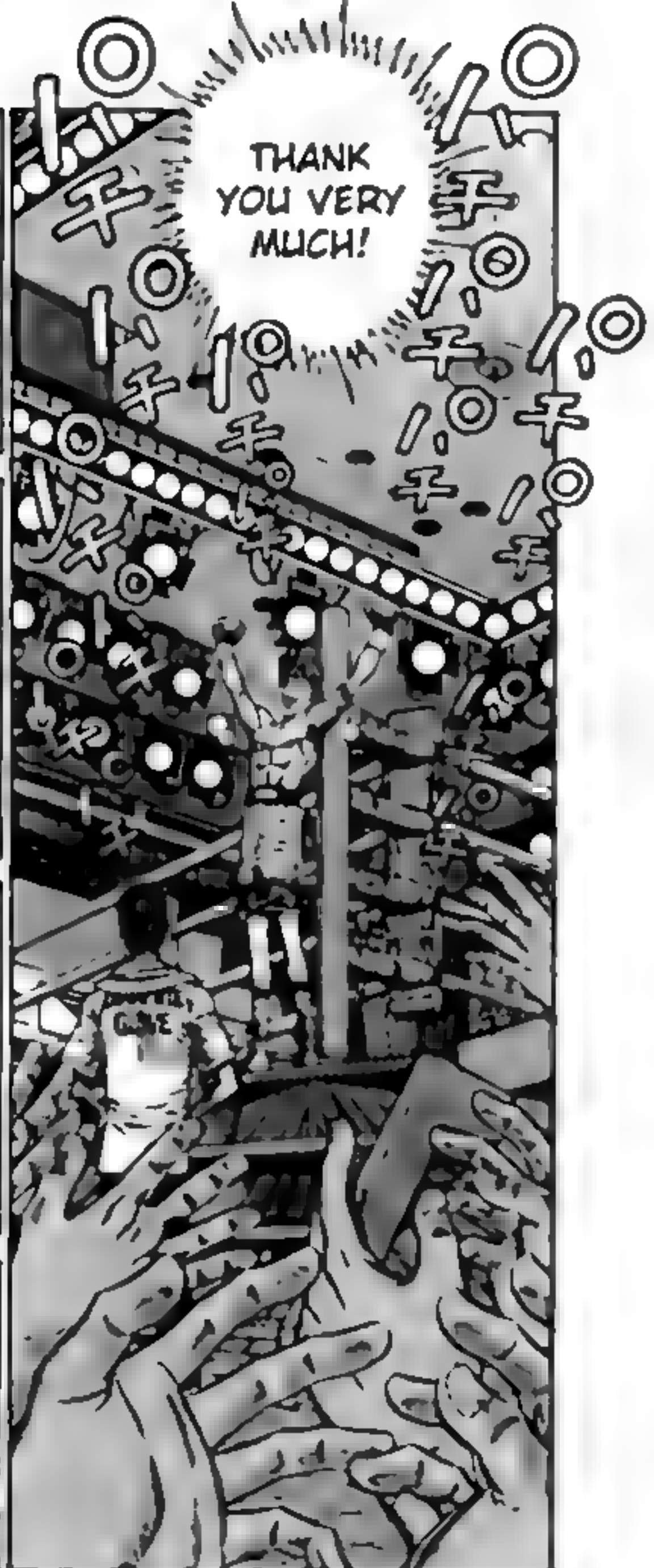
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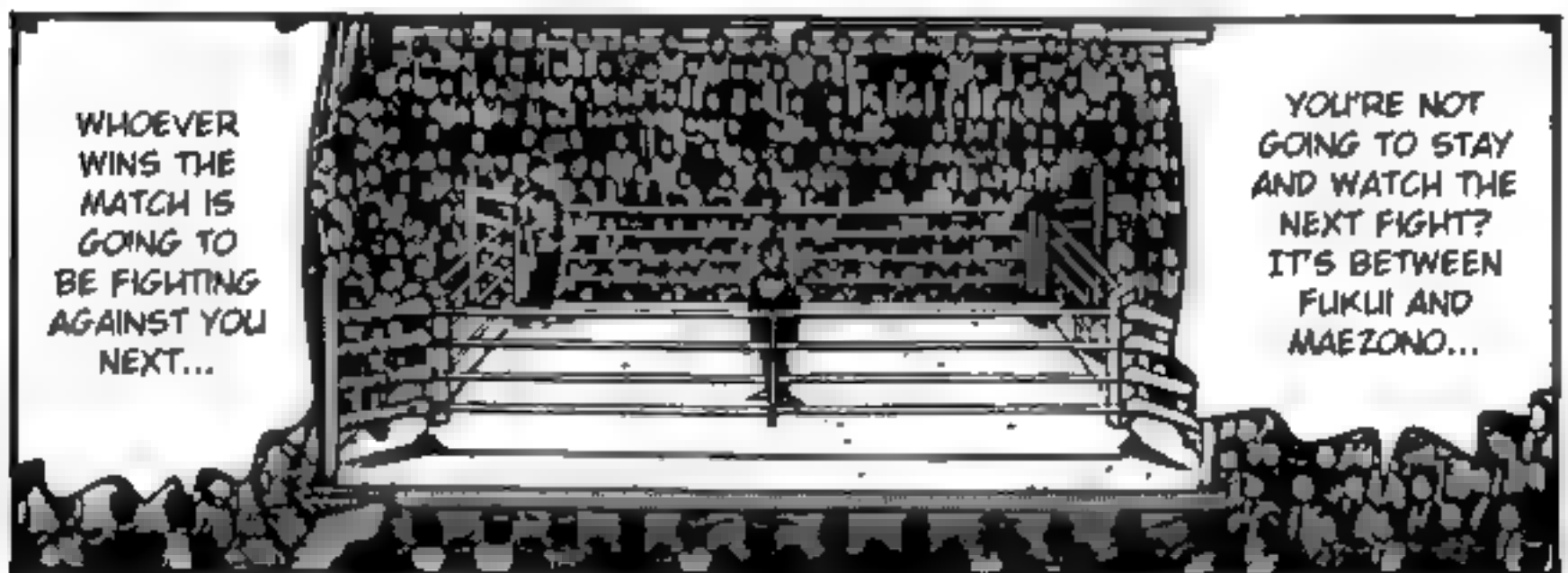
**はうの**  
**THE FIGHTING**

**ITAGAKI  
MANABU,  
HUH?**

I WASN'T  
EVEN  
PAYING  
ATTEN-  
TION TO  
HIM AT  
ALL









W-  
WHAT  
?



THAT  
LAST  
PUNCH  
DIDN'T  
HIT

IT'S  
VERY  
FORTU-  
NATE



IF THAT  
HAD LANDED,  
KARASAWA-SAN  
WOULD HAVE  
PROBABLY BEEN  
HURT REALLY  
BADLY

Y-Yeah  
that's  
right



WHAT  
WILL  
HE  
DO  
NEXT



IF THAT  
LAST PUNCH  
HAD LANDED,  
IT'S LIKELY  
THAT HIS FIST  
COULD HAVE  
SHATTERED.

HE'S  
TALKING  
ABOUT  
IT AWHILE  
LONGER  
RIGHT  
HAND



I'M  
SURE  
HE  
WAS  
RIGHT  
ABOUT  
KARA-  
SANA

IN  
THIS  
CASE







IN HIS  
ABSOLUTE  
BEST  
CONDI-  
TION.

IT'S HIS  
WAY OF  
SAYING  
HE WANTS  
TO FACE  
HIM...



THOSE  
LOSSES  
WERE TO  
YOU AND  
SENDO,  
BOTH OF  
WHOM  
ARE CHAM-  
PIONS...

ON  
TOP OF  
THAT,

IN HIS  
ENTIRE  
PROFES-  
SIONAL  
CAREER,  
HE'S ONLY  
EVER LOST  
TWICE.

SAEKI  
TAKUMA,  
THE  
SPEED  
STAR...



AND WANTS  
TO TRADE  
PUNCHES  
WITH HIM  
ON EQUAL  
GROUND.

BUT HE'S  
FOUND  
SOMEONE  
WHO'S  
ENCROACH-  
ING ON HIS  
TERRITORY

AND IN  
MY CASE,  
IT WAS  
BECAUSE  
I GOT  
LUCKY...

SINCE HIS  
SPEED  
SEEMS TO  
KNOW NO  
BOUND-  
ARIES OR  
LIMITA-  
TIONS.

ONLY YOU  
TWO HAVE  
MANAGED  
TO TOUCH  
HIM..



BETWEEN  
THE  
TWO OF  
THEM...

IT'S  
QUITE  
FASCI-  
NATING  
ACTU-  
ALLY.

FOOT-  
ING?

GIVEN THE  
CIRCUMSTANCES,  
IT MAY BE MORE  
APPROPRIATE  
FOR ME TO  
SAY ON EQUAL  
FOOTING...



WHO  
IS THE  
FASTEST  
MAN IN  
JAPAN?



I GUESS  
IT'S PRETTY  
OBVIOUS  
TO POINT  
THIS OUT,  
BUT...



NO-  
THING  
...

WHAT  
IS IT?



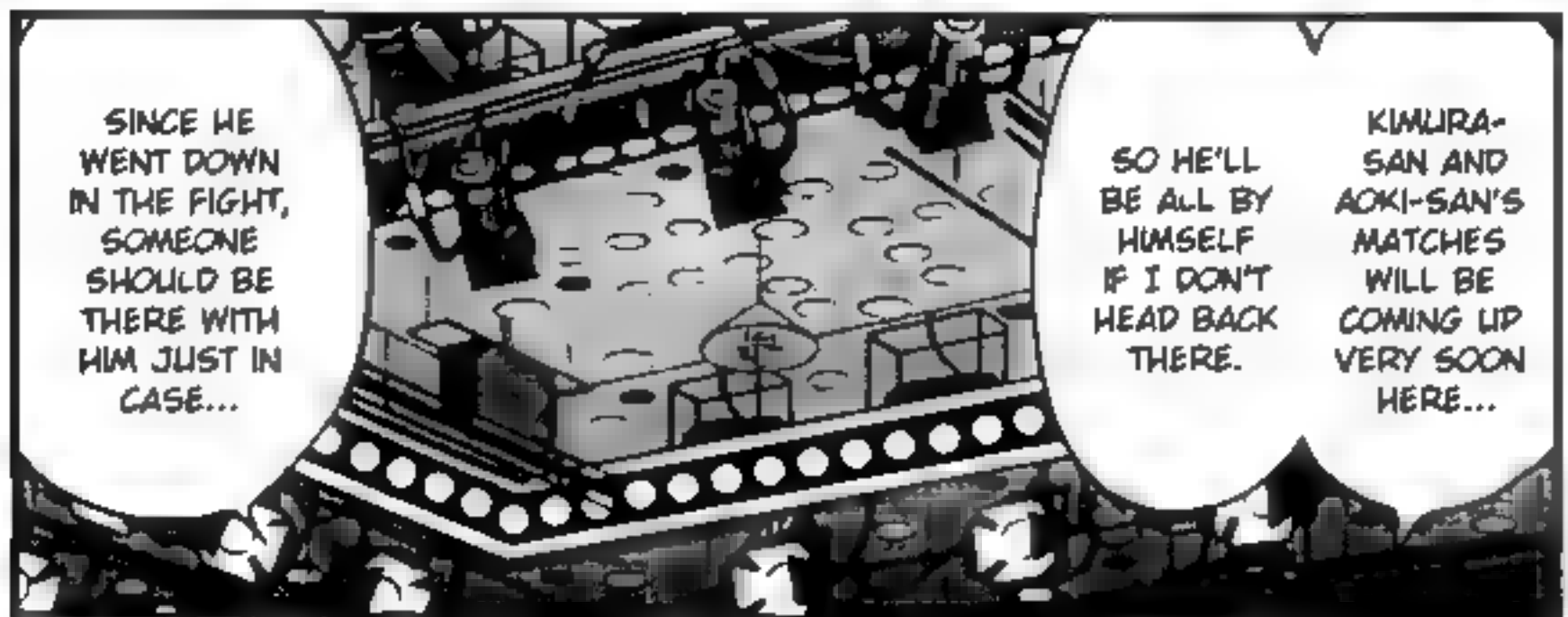
...



IT'S  
ALREADY  
BEGIN  
AGAIN...

AS  
SOON  
AS IT'S  
OVER...

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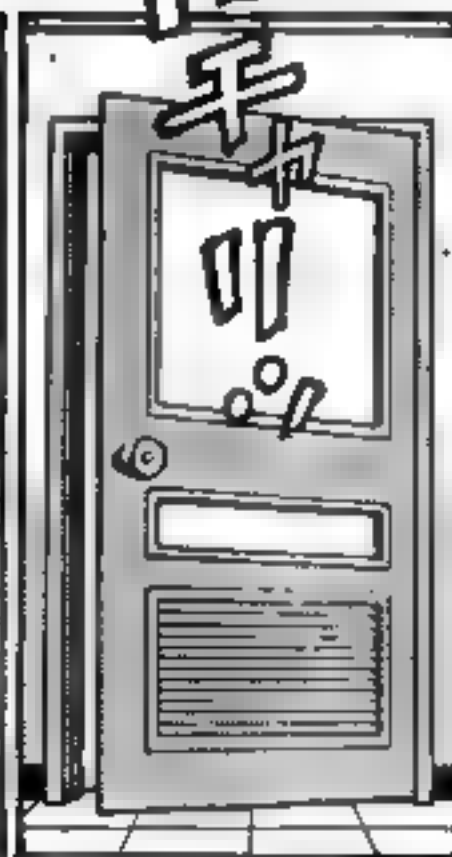
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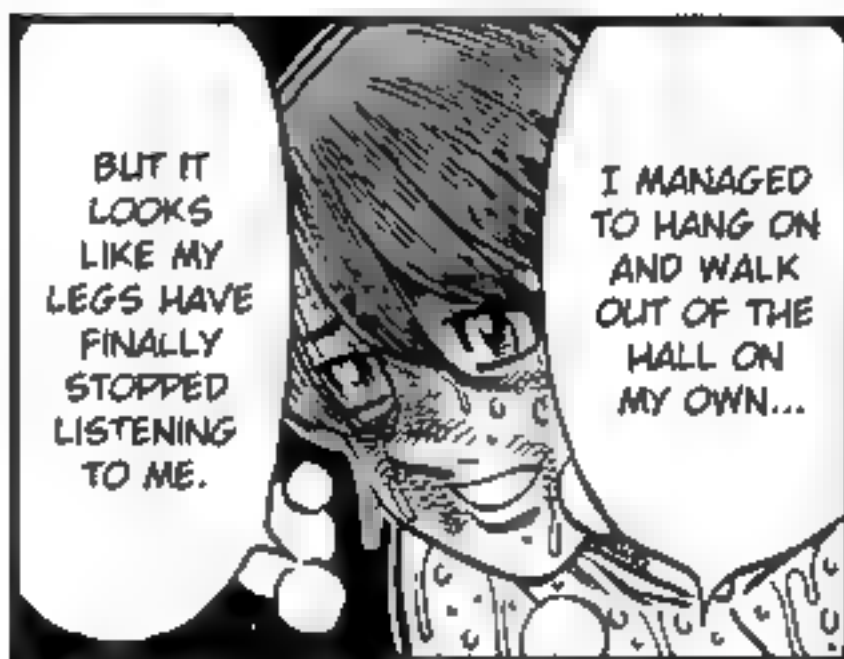
GOOD  
WORK,  
ITAGAKI!

OOOH,  
HE MADE  
IT BACK  
IN ONE  
PIECE!



YOU SURE  
AS HELL  
DON'T  
LOOK LIKE  
YOU JUST  
WON...

WHAT  
THE?



BUT IT  
LOOKS  
LIKE MY  
LEGS HAVE  
FINALLY  
STOPPED  
LISTENING  
TO ME.

I MANAGED  
TO HANG ON  
AND WALK  
OUT OF THE  
HALL ON  
MY OWN...



THE  
SAME  
GOES  
FOR  
YOU!

GO AHEAD AND  
LIE DOWN SINCE  
YOU'LL HAVE LOTS  
OF TIME TO REST  
WHILE AOKI BRINGS  
IN YET ANOTHER  
LONG AND DRAWN  
OUT VICTORY BY  
DECISION...



THANK  
YOU.

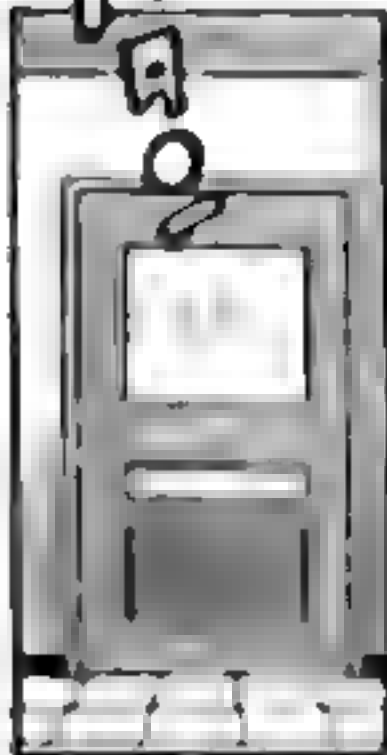


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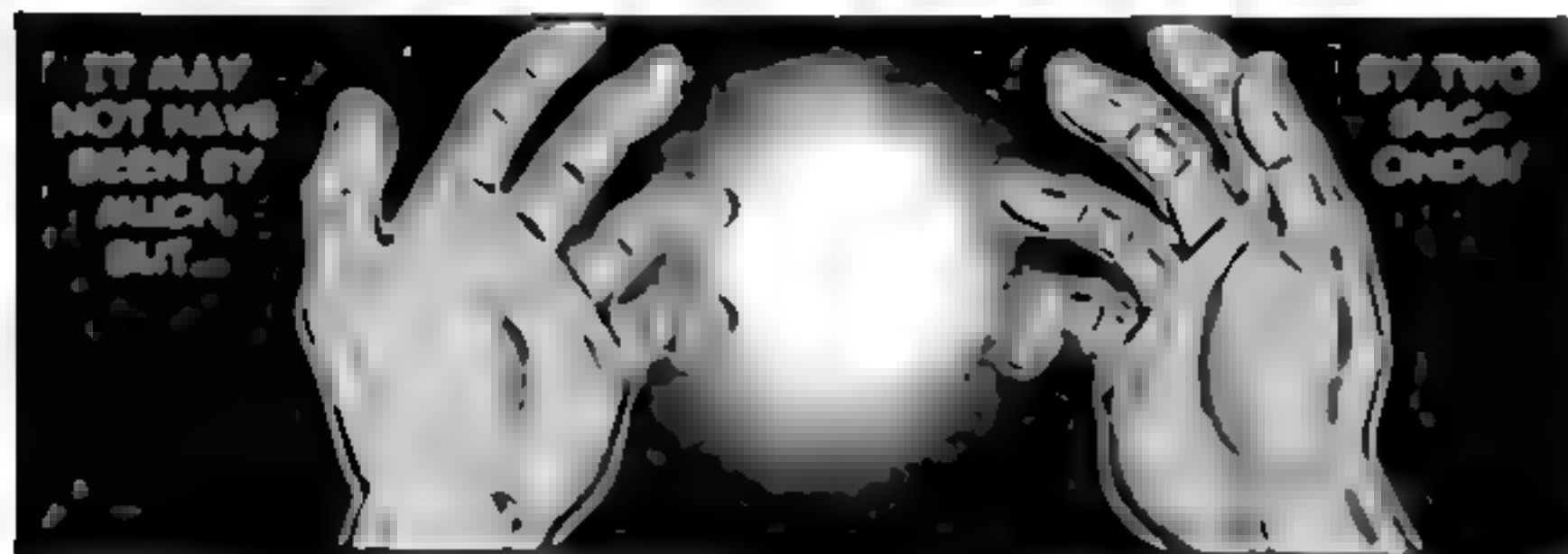
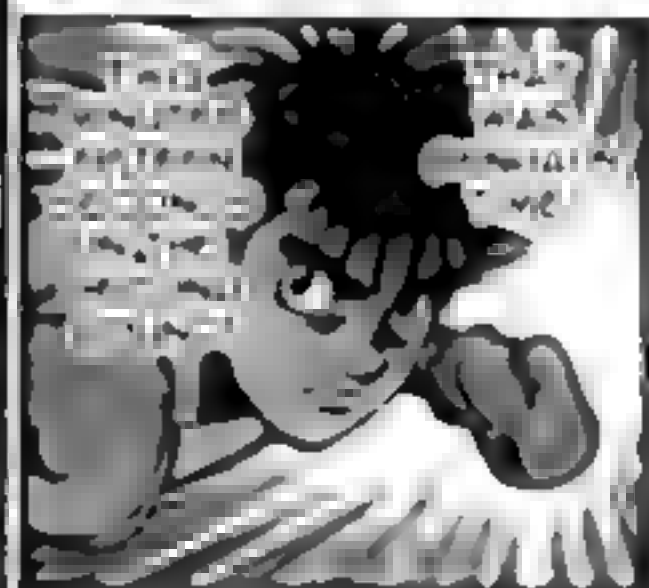
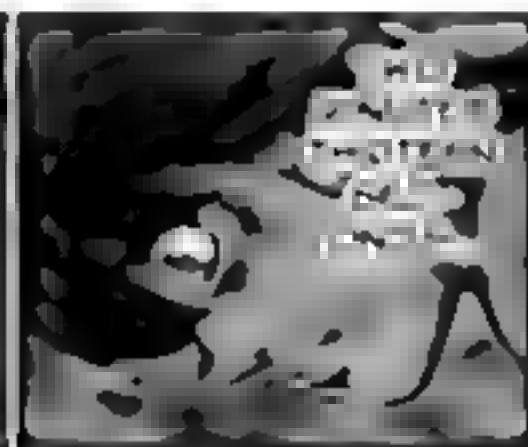




WINNING  
BY KO AND  
THE "MID"  
TIME ARE  
SIGNIFI-  
CANT

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CANT

WINNING  
BY KO AND  
THE "MID"  
TIME ARE  
SIGNIFI-  
CANT



IT MAY  
NOT HAVE  
BEEN BY  
MUCH,  
BUT...

BY TWO  
SEC-  
ONDS

I  
REALLY  
DID IT!

わあ  
あ  
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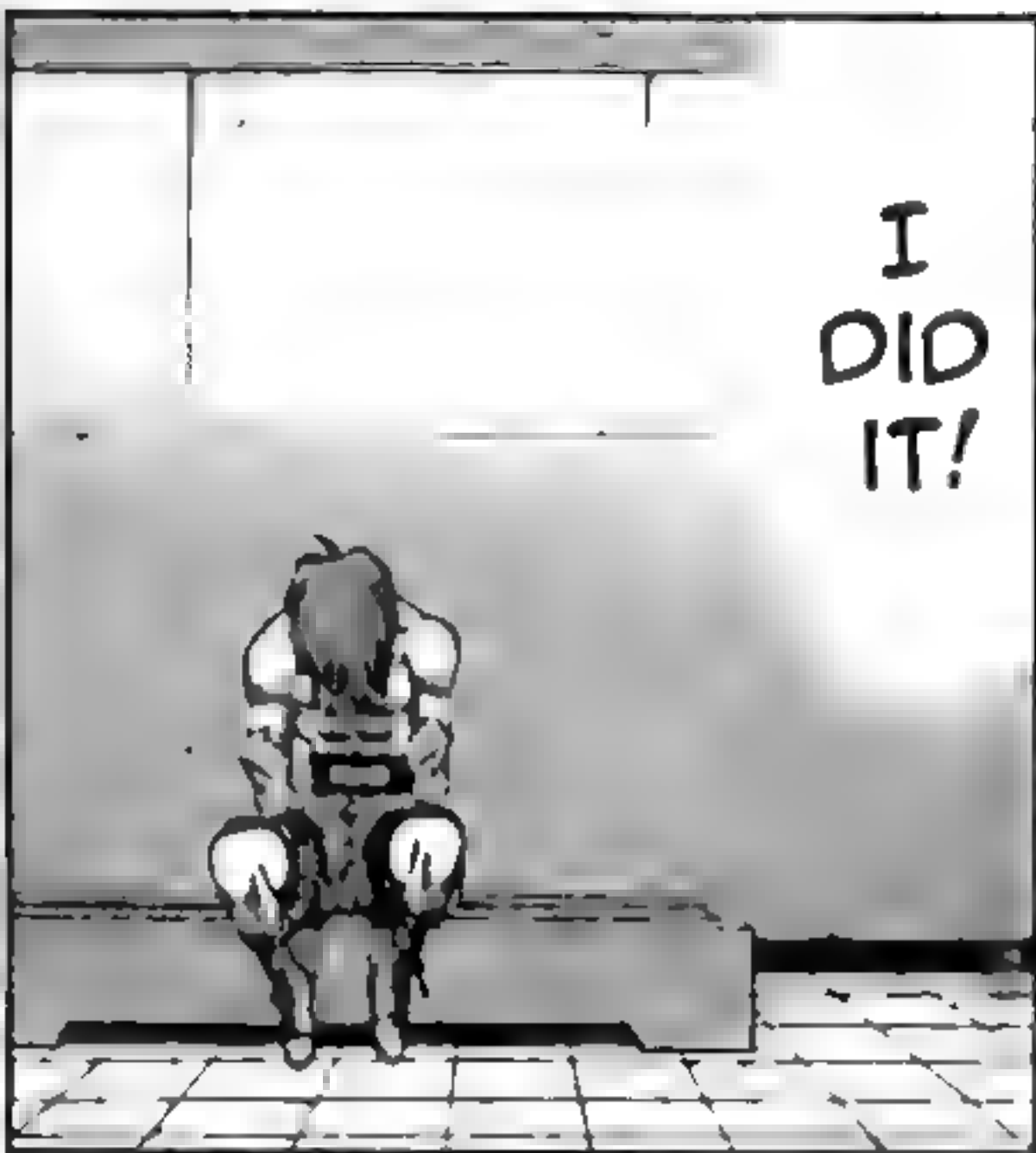
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B 号 室

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I  
DID  
IT!



SOMETHING  
HAVE SEEN ME  
I KEEN NOT  
GET ME HA  
PACED BY

MY MIND WAS  
COMPLETELY  
PREOCCUPIED  
BY ALL THAT  
WOODYING  
AND I WAS  
FOCUSED  
SO HARD



I  
WON  
!!



MANAGED  
TO BEAT  
ENDAI'S  
TIME!

BUT I  
JUST  
BARELY  
MADE  
IT!





WAAA  
AAUU  
LIGH!

CONGRATULATIONS!



I WENT  
DOWN,  
DIDN'T  
I...?

OH,  
THAT'S  
RIGHT.



THAT  
FEELS  
GOOD...



I GOT  
YOU A  
WET  
TOWEL.



DO YOU  
REMEMBER  
GOING  
DOWN IN  
THE FIRST  
ROUND?

I'M GLAD  
YOU'RE  
SO HAPPY  
ABOUT  
WINNING,  
BUT YOU  
NEED TO  
REST.

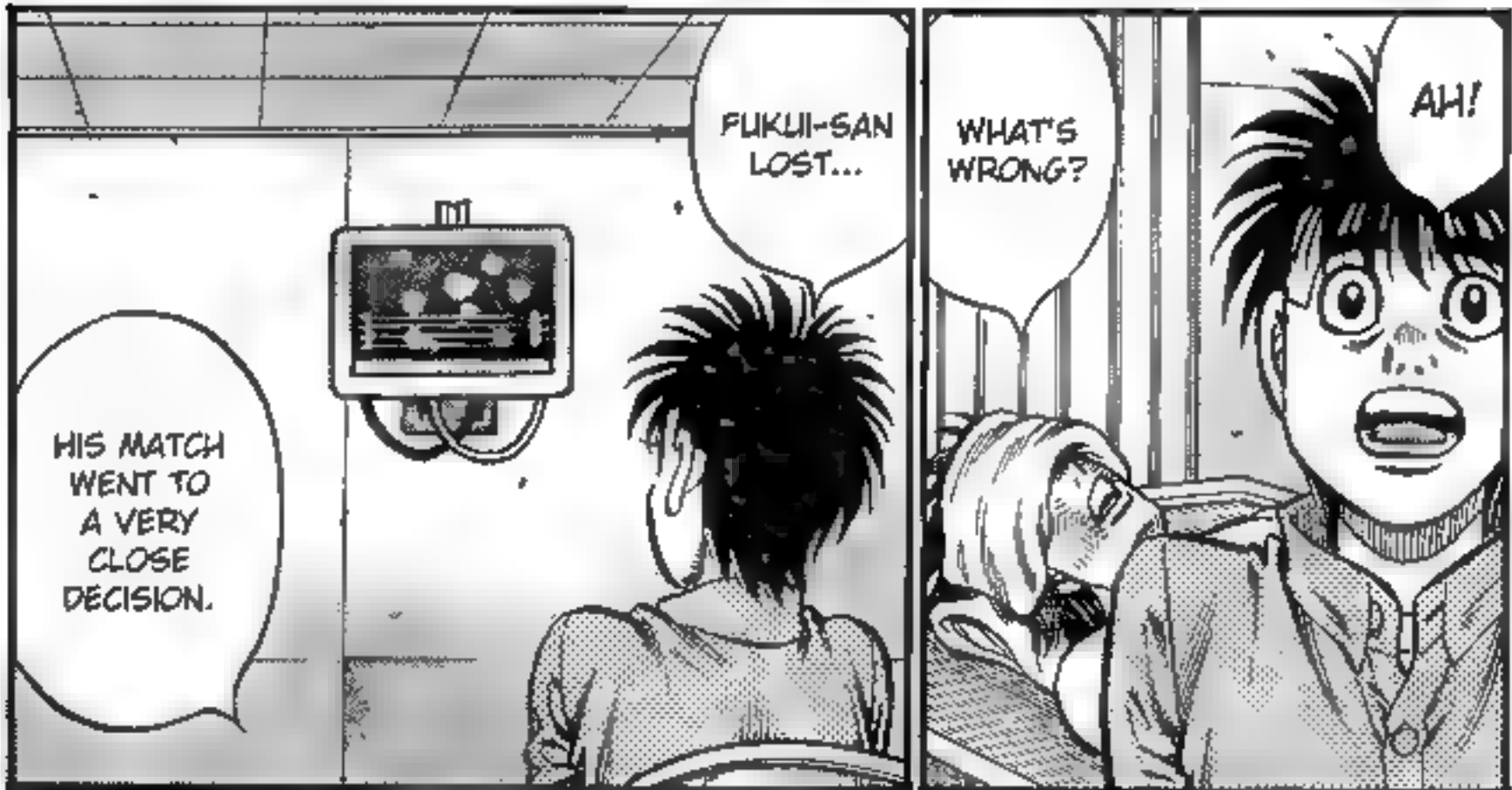


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# はじめるは THE FIGHTING! 大



**IGNITION-ONE**

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PRESENTS  
IN A JOINT  
VENTURE  
WITH...

**ENDLESS  
ABYSS**

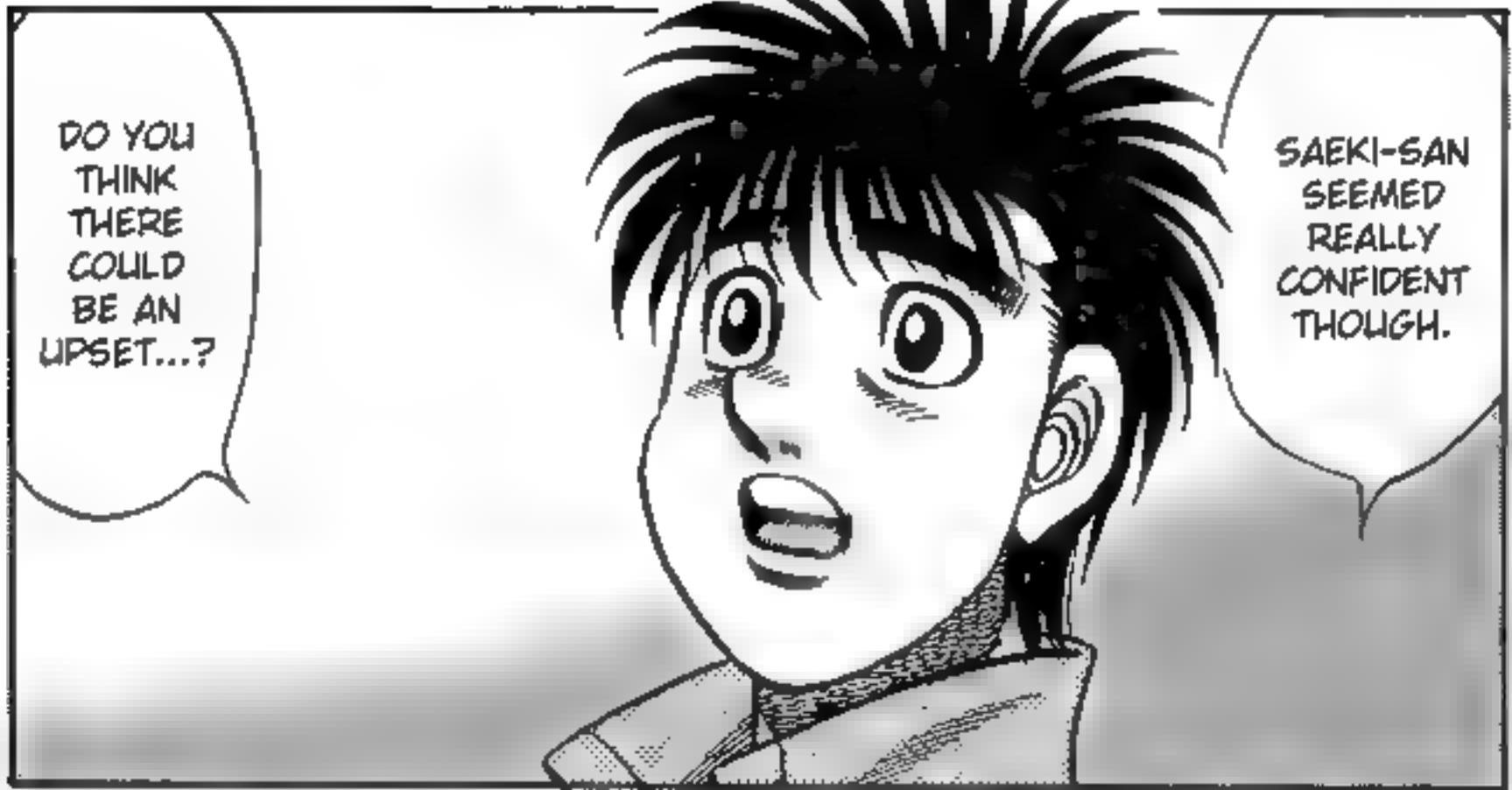
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SCANS: RENA  
CLEANS: MAB  
OVERLAYS: BK

QC: GP & SRWH  
TLS: ONIMARU  
THE REST: PUAR

THE DYNAMITE GLOVE FORUMS HAVE MOVED TO  
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Round 912 An "Imposing" Reunion



DO YOU  
THINK  
THERE  
COULD  
BE AN  
UPSET...?

SAEKI-SAN  
SEEMED  
REALLY  
CONFIDENT  
THOUGH.



2  
ROUNDS  
2:13  
TKO

AND  
END UP  
LOSING  
THE FIGHT  
BY KO...

HE  
COULD  
CATCH  
A HIT

THERE'S  
NO  
TELLING  
WHAT  
COULD  
HAPPEN.

EITHER  
WAY,

KO  
...



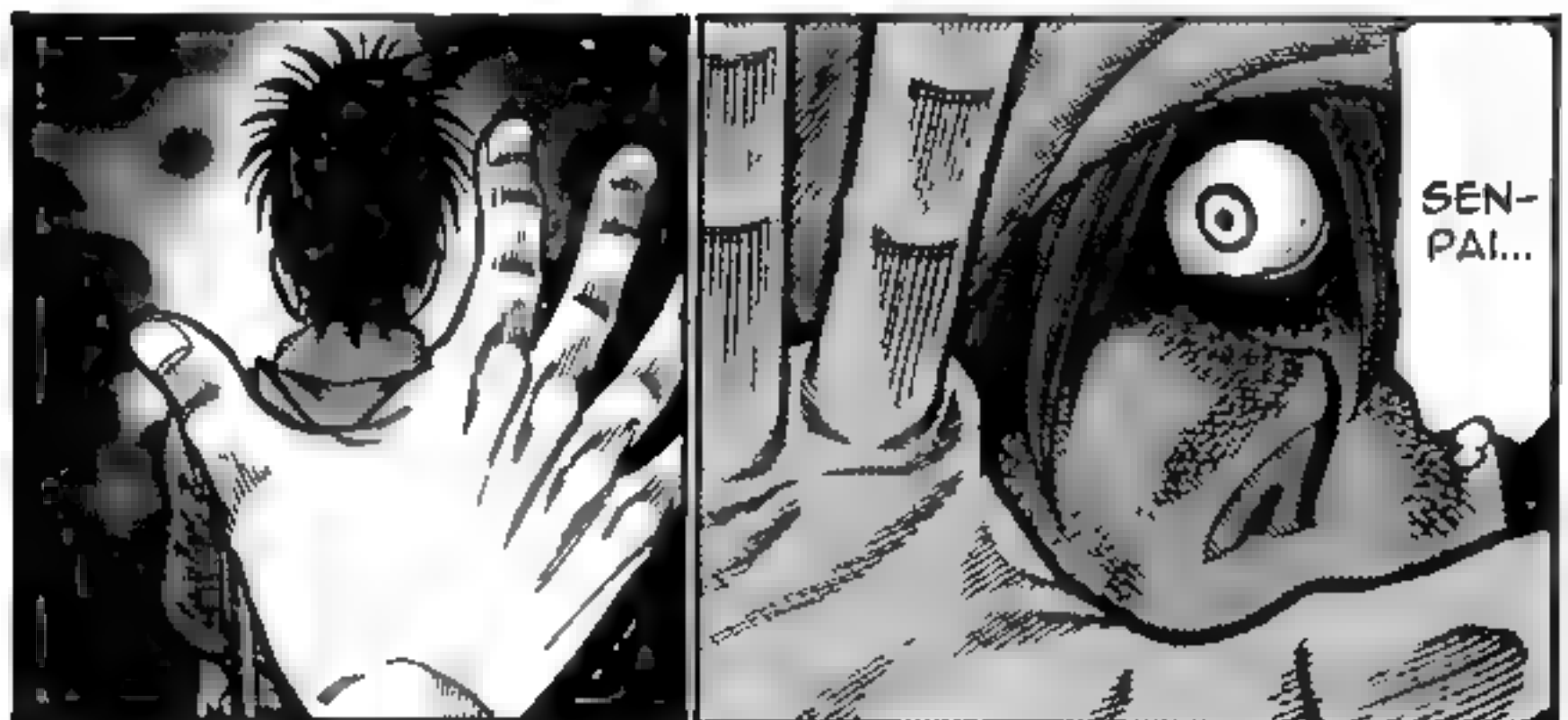
TO  
BE  
HON-  
EST...

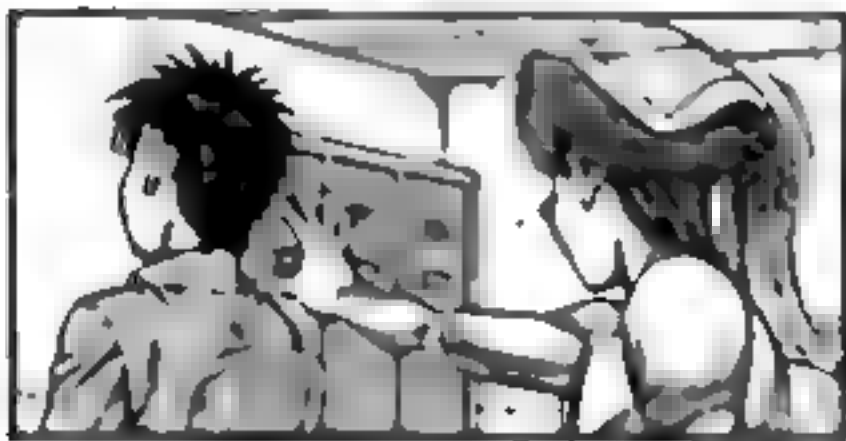
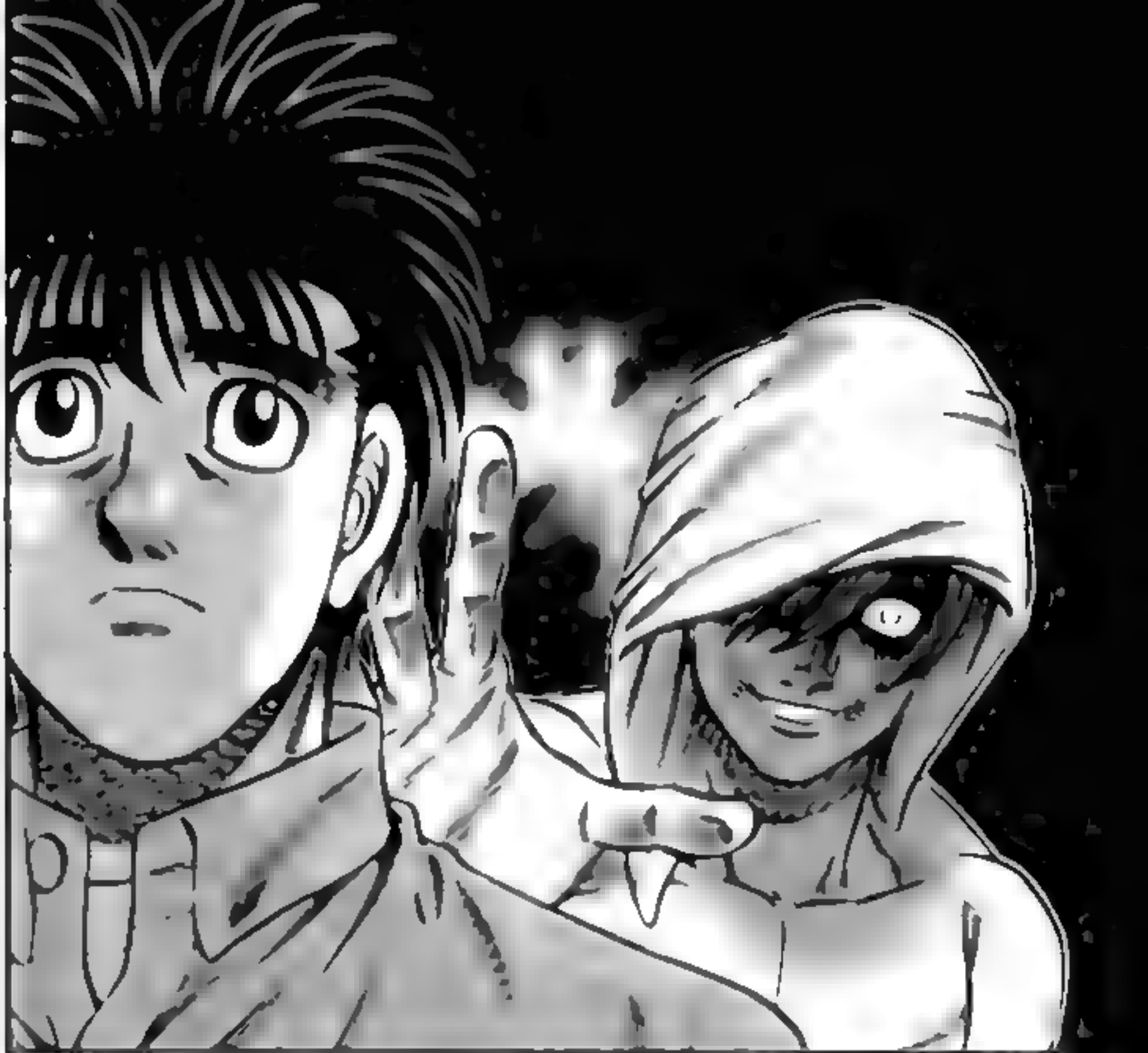
YOU  
SHOULD  
GET  
YOUR  
REST.

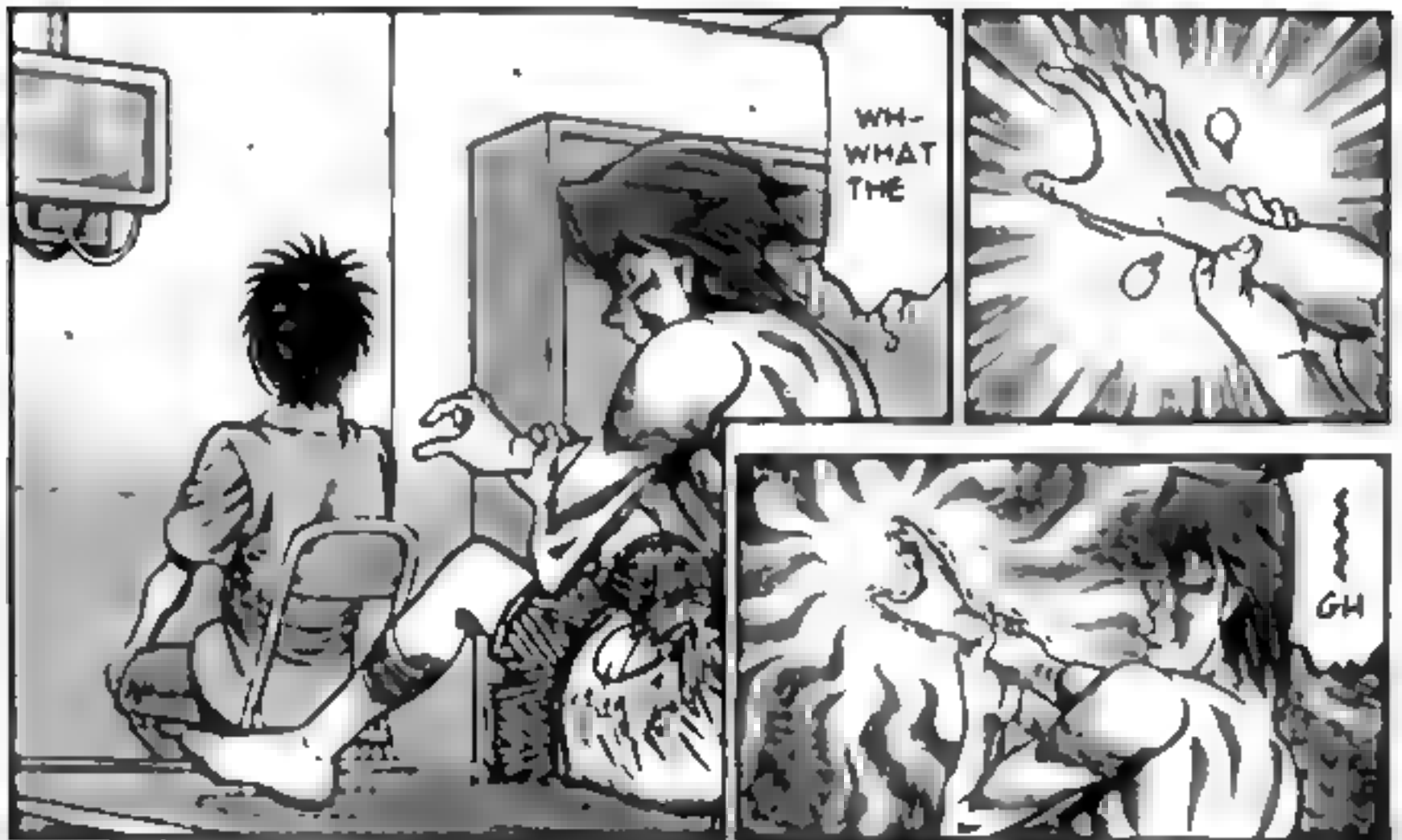
AND NOW  
I'M TALKING  
ABOUT ALL  
OF THIS.

SORRY,  
I KNOW  
THAT YOUR  
FIGHT JUST  
ENDED...

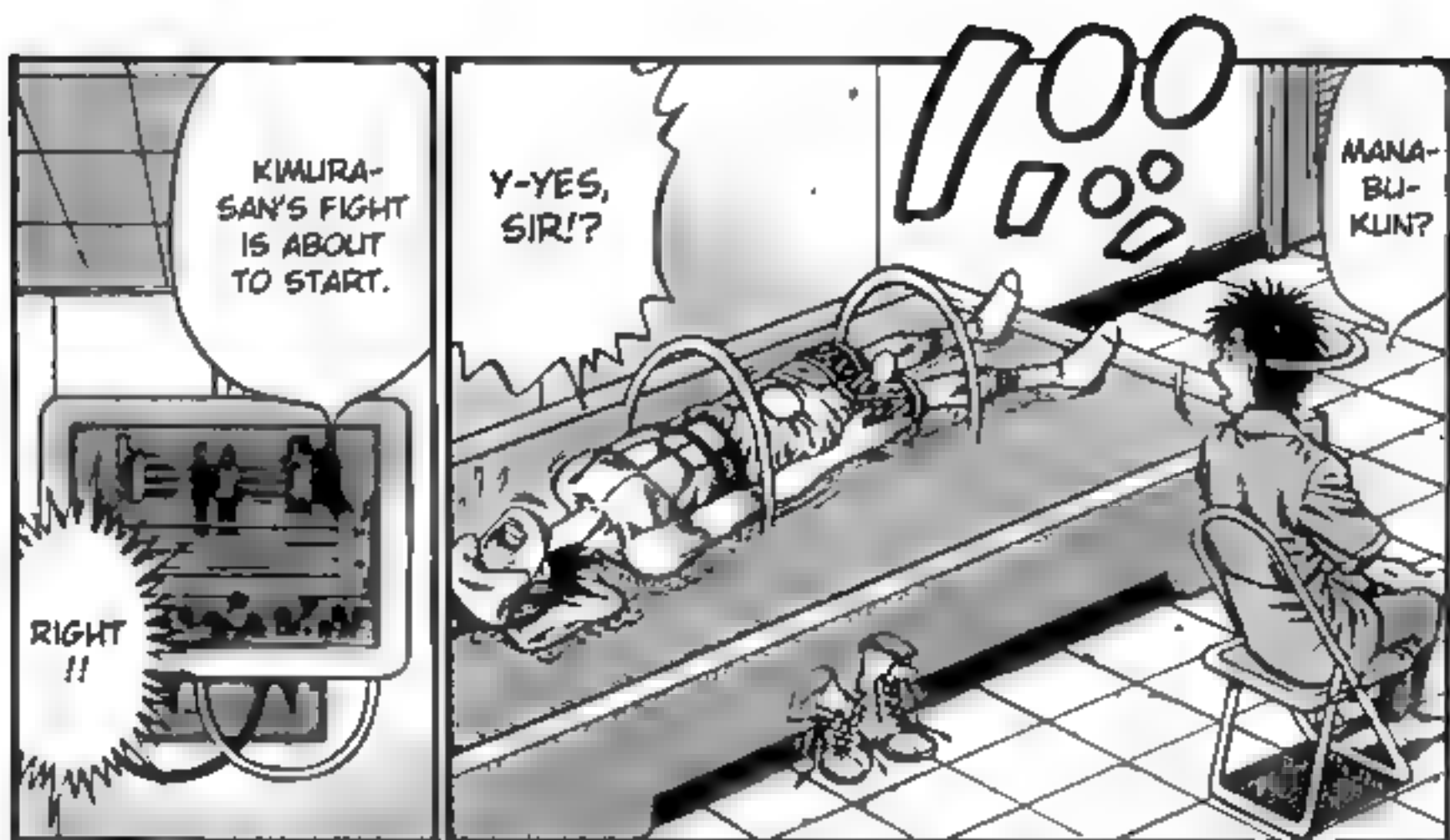




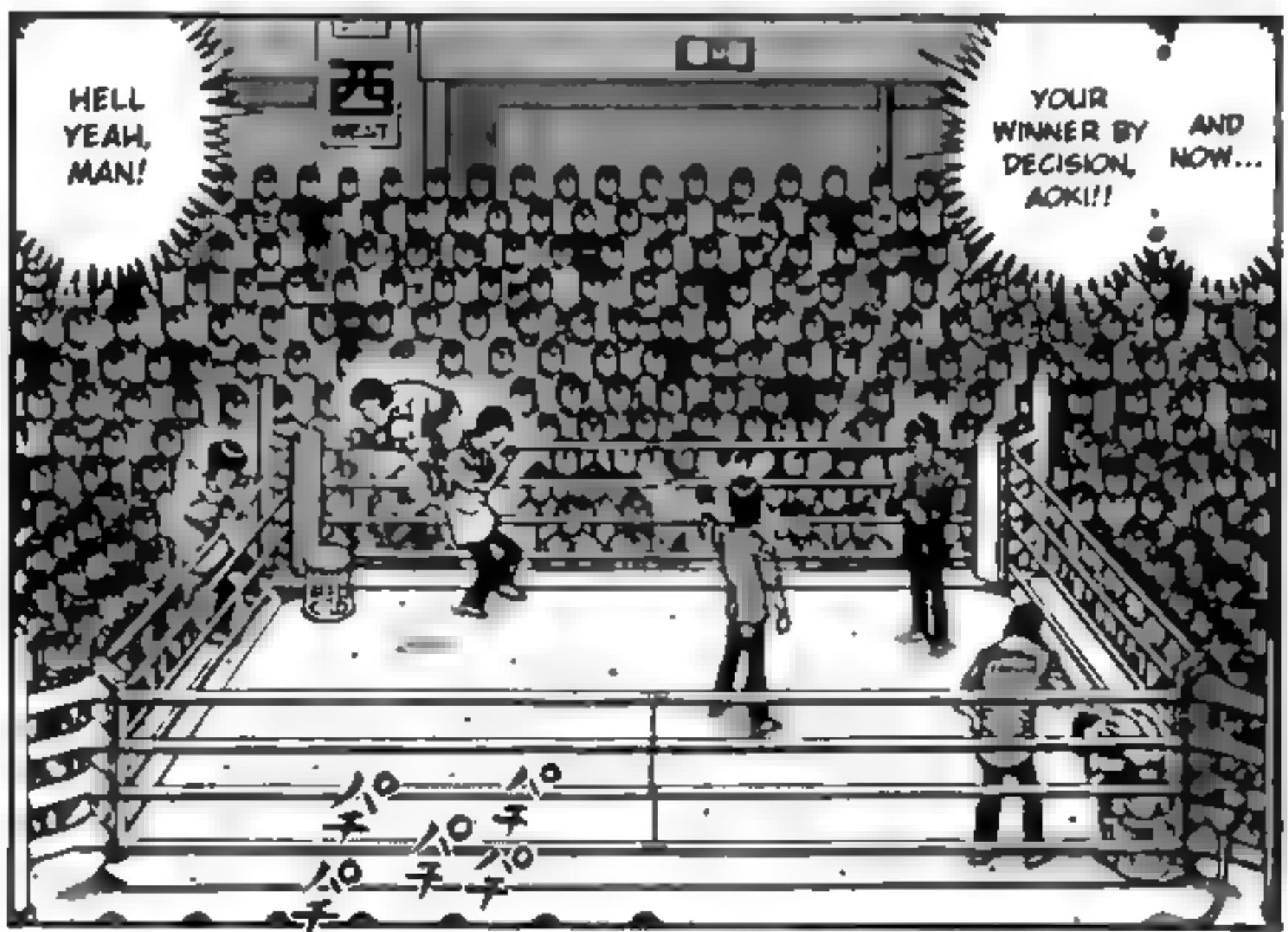
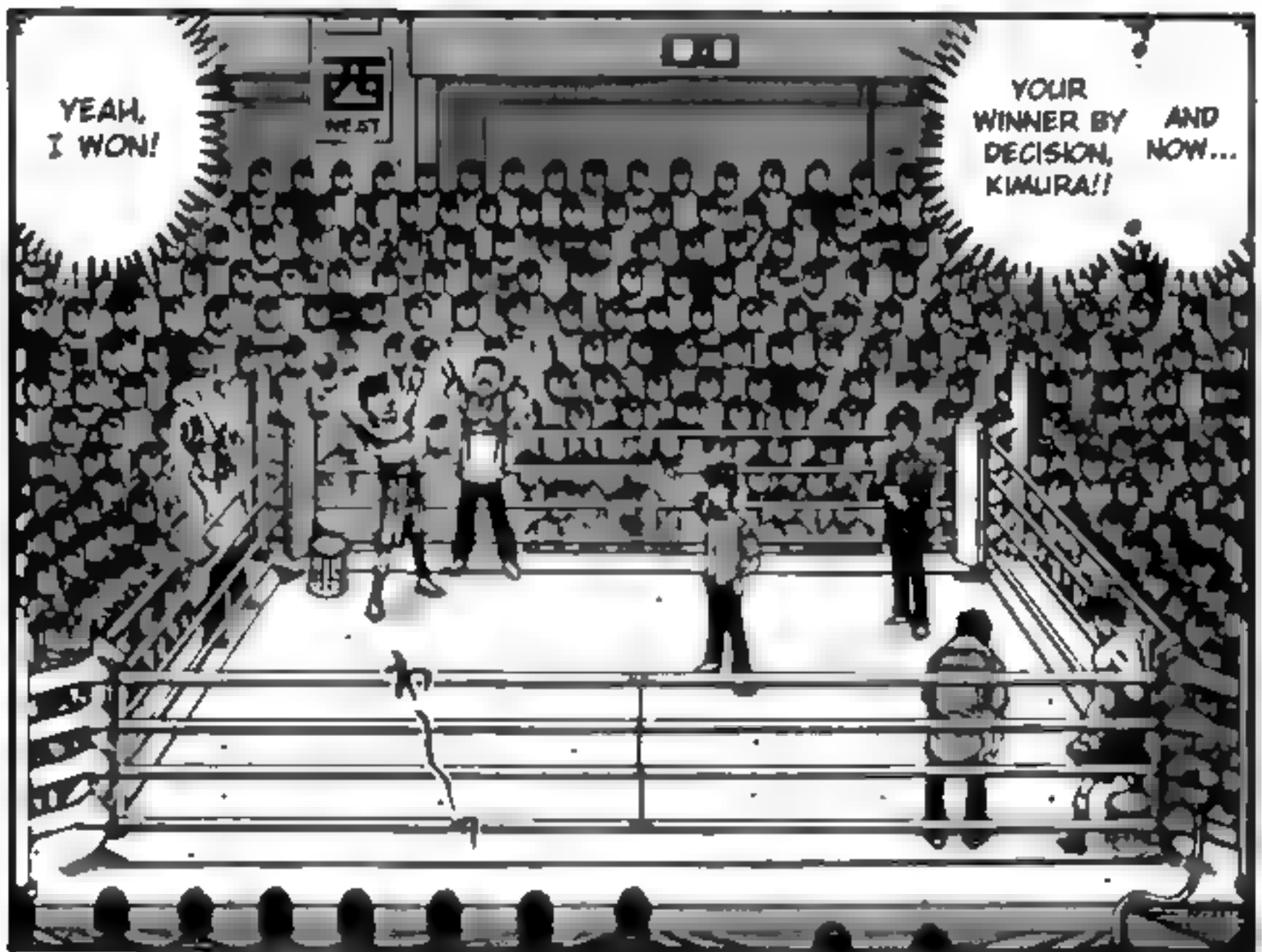








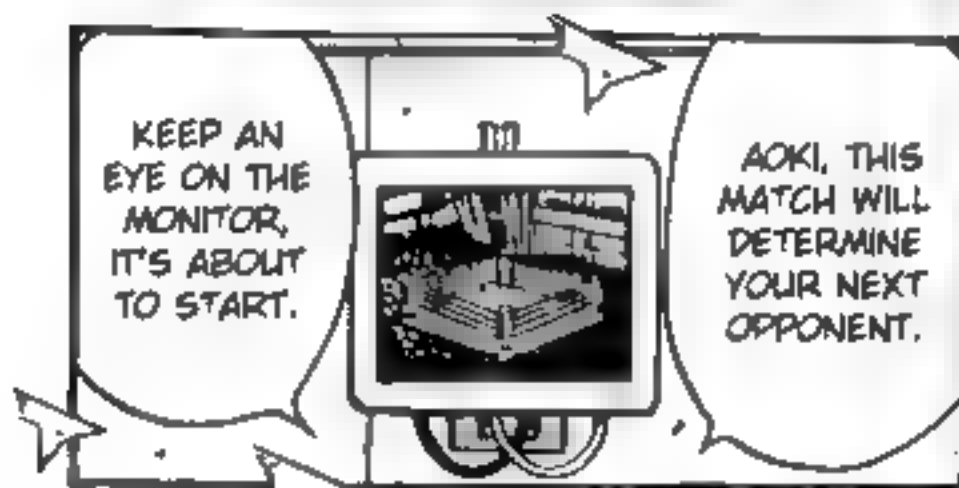
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WHO  
YOU  
GOT?



WHAT  
ABOUT  
YOU,  
KIMURA-  
SAN?

MINE'S  
OVER  
ALREADY,  
HE WAS  
HALFWAY  
DECENT.



IT'S MY  
FATED  
ENEMY...



IMAE  
KATSU-  
TAKA.

THE FORMER  
JAPANESE  
LIGHTWEIGHT  
CHAMPION.



HE'S BEEN  
ABLE TO STAY  
IN THE UPPER  
RANKINGS AND  
IS GRADUALLY  
MAKING HIS WAY  
TO THE TITLE  
AGAIN...

EVER  
SINCE  
THEN.



BUT HE  
LOST HIS  
TITLE IN  
THE MATCH  
RIGHT  
AFTER  
OURS.

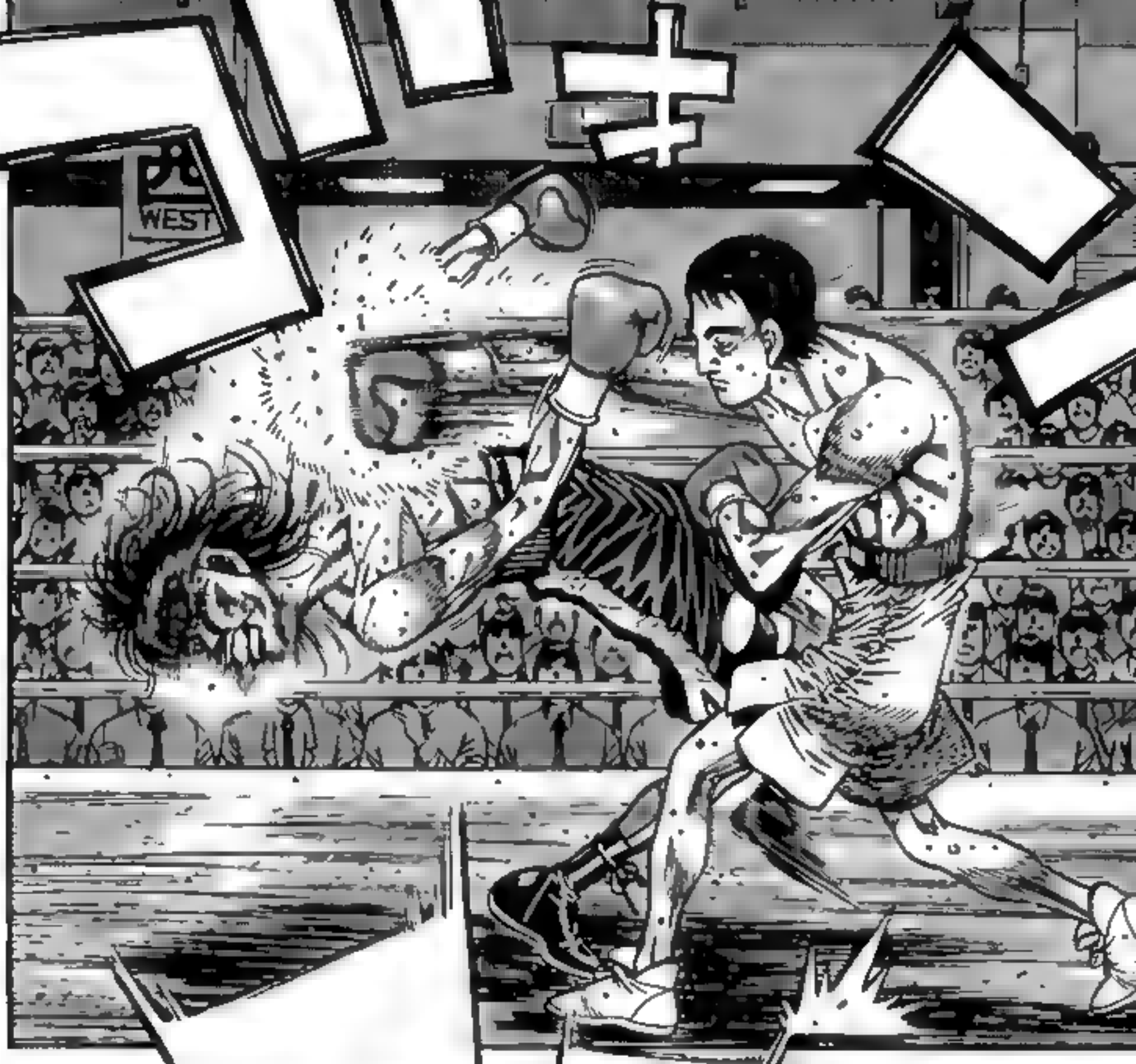
IT WAS  
PROBABLY  
BECAUSE  
OF THE  
DAMAGE HE  
GOT FROM  
FIGHTING  
WITH ME,

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AND THE  
FORMER  
CHAMPION  
IS DEMOL-  
ISHED!

**IT'S A  
TOTAL  
UPSET!**



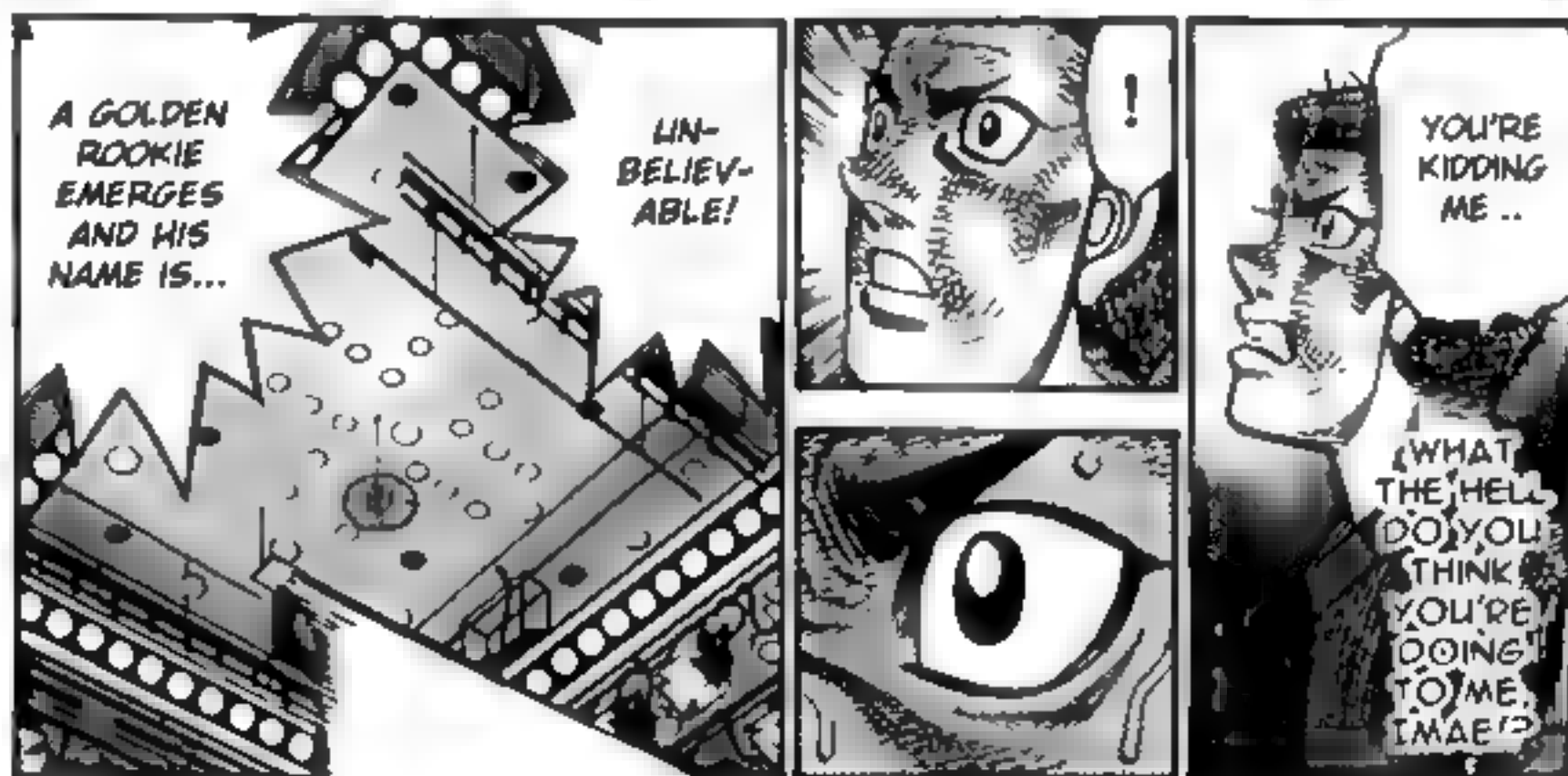
HAS BEEN  
DESTROYED  
IN A SINGLE  
ROUND!

ONE OF THE  
FAVORED  
CONTENDERS  
IN THE  
LIGHTWEIGHT  
CLASS A  
TOURNAMENT



IN ONE  
ROUND...

THE  
FORMER  
CHAMP...



A GOLDEN  
ROOKIE  
EMERGES  
AND HIS  
NAME IS...

UN-  
BELIEV-  
ABLE!

YOU'RE  
KIDDING  
ME ..

WHAT  
THE HELL  
DO YOU  
THINK  
YOU'RE  
DOING  
TO ME,  
IMAE!



IGA  
SHINO-  
BU!!



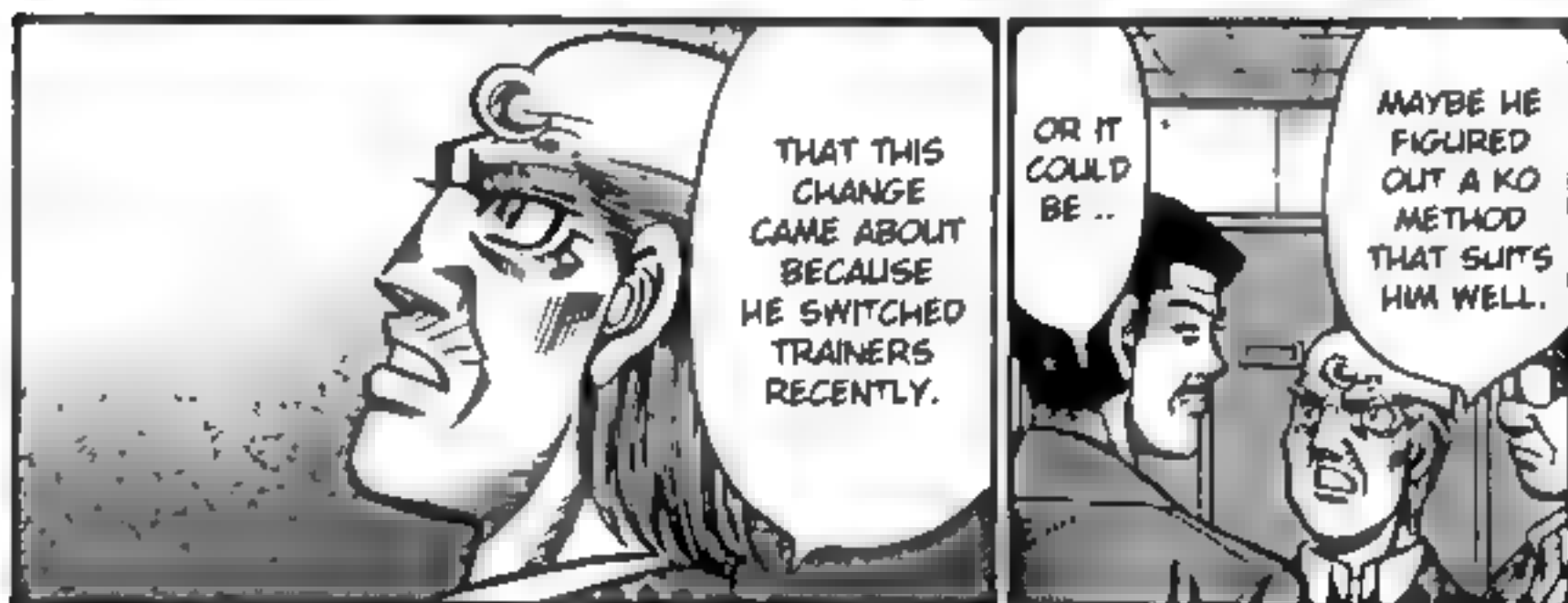
LOOKS  
LIKE HE  
HAD A  
SUDDEN  
GROWTH  
PERIOD.

IT SEEMS  
HE STARTED  
OUT ONLY  
EVER WINNING  
BY DECISION,  
BUT IS ON A  
STRING OF  
KO WINS.

HM  
...

LIKE  
I SAID,  
7 WINS,  
3 KO'S  
AND.

IGA  
WHO. ?  
I'VE  
NEVER  
HEARD  
OF HIM.



THAT THIS  
CHANGE  
CAME ABOUT  
BECAUSE  
HE SWITCHED  
TRAINERS  
RECENTLY.

OR IT  
COULD  
BE ..

MAYBE HE  
FIGURED  
OUT A KO  
METHOD  
THAT SUITS  
HIM WELL.



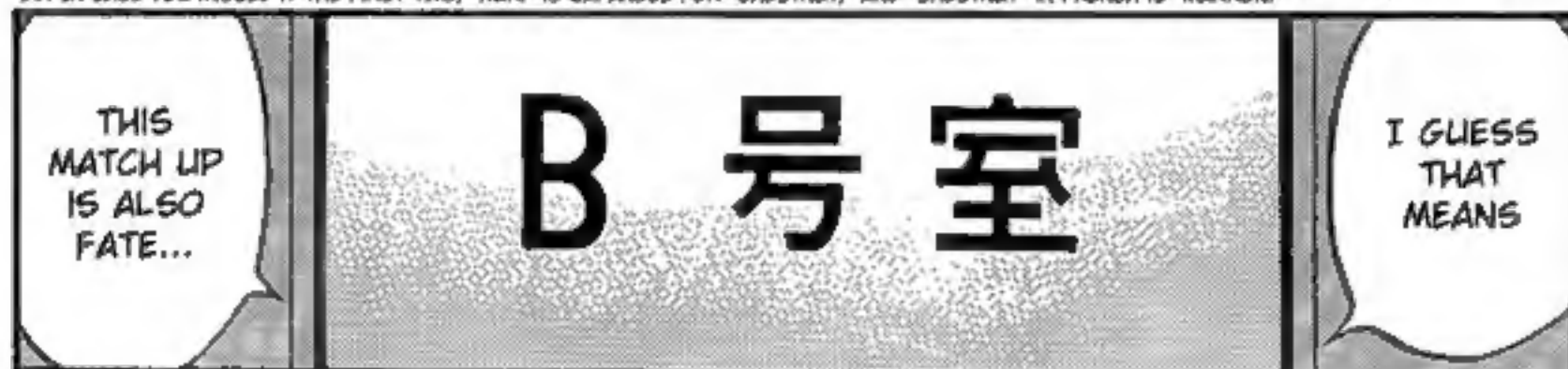








ED: IN CASE YOU MISSED IT THE FIRST TIME, "KURI" IS JAPANESE FOR "CHESTNUT," AND "CHESTNUT" IN FRENCH IS "MARRON."





**DONE READING? COME DISCUSS IT AT THE *NEW* FORUM!**



I CAN'T  
THINK OF  
ANYTHING  
MORE  
PAINFUL.



SO HIS  
PUNCHES  
MUST BE  
PRETTY  
DECENT...

THIS IS  
APPARENTLY  
HIS FOURTH  
KNOCK OUT  
IN A ROW.



WE'RE  
TALKING  
ABOUT  
"IGA" AND  
"KURI"  
TEAMING  
UP HERE.

PRETTY  
DECENT?  
MAN, YOU  
REALLY  
DON'T GET  
ANYTHING,  
DO YOU?



IGA...  
KURI?

"IGA"  
AND  
"KURI,"  
EH?



IS HE  
REALLY  
...?

ED: "IGA" MEANS "BURRS," SO "IGAKURI" MEANS "A CHESTNUT WITH ITS BURRS." THE BURR IS THE VERY SPINY AND VERY SHARP OUTSIDE SHELL. OUCH!!



TELL US  
WHAT YOU  
THOUGHT  
ABOUT THE  
FIGHT AT  
LEAST!

I WAS  
ASLEEP.

DID YOU  
SERIOUSLY  
COME ALL  
THIS WAY TO  
MAKE THAT  
DUMBASS  
PUN!?

YUP!

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